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THE ACCEPTABLE CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR SOLDIERS

Answering a growing number of requests for information on appropriate Christmas gifts for soldiers in the expanding Army of the United States, Headquarters Sixth Corps Area in Chicago today announced the results of a gift survey completed among Chaplains, Morale Officers and soldiers.

Major General J. M. Cummins, commanding the Sixth Corps Area, pointed out, however, that the survey was conducted among soldiers in Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin and that gift buyers should consider where soldiers are stationed in making selections.

"Because the Army is now so widespread geographically there are many special and unusual conditions to be met," said General Cummins. "Whether fur lined mittens or swim

ming trunks would be particularly well received depends on where the soldier is stationed," he pointed out. General Cummins expressed belief that in general, families and friends of soldiers should be advised to send gifts of a practical nature. "Candy, cigarettes, smoking materials and money are universally popular wherever soldiers are stationed," he said. "Many soldiers are glad to receive subscriptions to home town newspapers and many well known periodicals are offering special rates on subscriptions for men in the service."

From the soldier's point of view, the Sixth Corps Army survey showed that any gifts for his personal comfort and enjoyment were acceptable. It was suggested, however, that gifts not be bulky and easily portable.

Non-perishable things to eat were recommended as well as cakes and cookies, as only mothers and grandmothers can make them.

All Christmas gifts should be well marked, properly addressed and mailed early.

Among the other suggested gifts were pajamas, bath robes, sweaters,

house slippers, athletic clothing and equipment, razors, shaving material, liquors, soap (bath and face) talcum powder, tooth brushes, tooth powder or paste, wrist watches, pocket knives, sewing kits, tan shoe polish, clothes brushes, metal polish, handkerchiefs, scrap books, photo albums cameras, postage stamps, fountain pens, automatic pencils, hair brushes, combs, nail files, nail clippers, musical instruments, college and high school publications.

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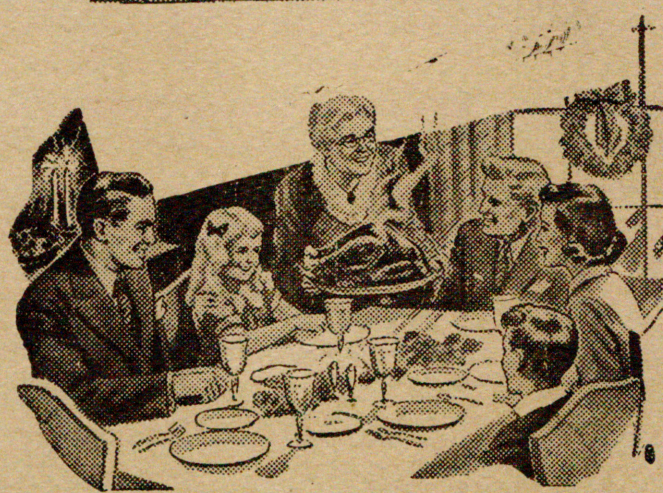
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We also call your attention to our window display which gives some good suggestions. For baby fine comb and brush sets, unbreakable plates, and cups to match, picture books, drawing and tracing books, story books, plush animals in pastel shades, games, fine stationery, small sheets with colored borders.

Corresponding cards, the latest in paper as well as package from 25c up. Compacts and powder boxes 50c; Perfume and perfume sets such as Coty's assorted odors. Atomizers and powder to match in Evening of Paris; Hubrigants; Richard Hudnut's fine toilet water from 50c up; also lovely pieces of glassware, pyrex, crystal vases and other things too numerous to mention.

Fancy boxes of handkerchiefs and singles for men. Nice new line of shaving sets of all the popular makes such as Mennens, Colgates, Wrisley's line from 50c to \$2.50. Fountain pens from 25c to \$5.00. Comb and brush sets.

Flash lights all useful gifts for the boys. Christmas cards in boxes and packages from 19c to \$1.00; also singles for relatives.

Just received our fine line of candy, as usual we are headquarters in quality from 30c per lb. box to \$1.50.

SPECIAL WHILE THEY LAST

Noma Christmas tree outfit 15 lights \$1.98

Noma Christmas tree outfit 7 lights 69c

Cigars and tobacco in Christmas packages from 10 to 50 in box.

We still give S & H green stamps. Let us help you fill your books.

Extend The Season's

GREETINGS

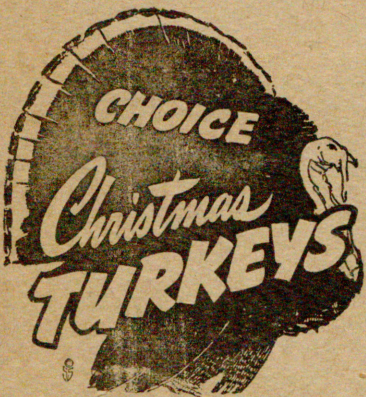
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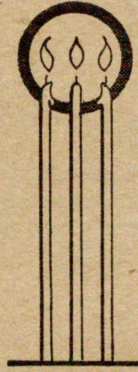
YOUR CHRISTMAS FEAST

Joliet Fruit Market
opposite the Courthouse

TO YOU...

Among our assets we would like to count the only one that money cannot buy—your good will.

And so, at this holiday season, we extend to you, not as a customer alone, but as a friend, our very best wishes for a Merry Christmas.



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Amos Bruns, Prop.

New Lenox, Ill.

This is the season for good cheer — fateful though 1941 has been. This is the season for peace in the hearts of men. May peace be yours always, is, our wish in appreciation of your good will towards us.



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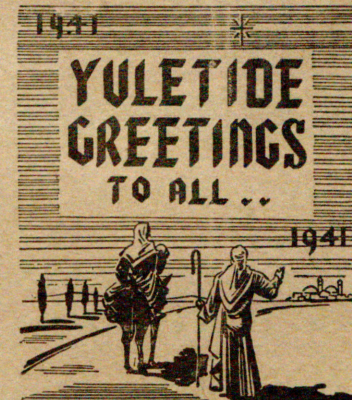
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TO OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS

Christmas is a sort of stopping place where weary travelers pause and forget the long miles that lie behind, and recall the faith and loyalty of friends who have made their way most pleasant.

Permit us now to thank you for your many favors and to wish you a delightful Christmas season.



NEW LENOX STATE BANK
New Lenox, Illinois

The same old greeting, but with the added fervor of many years' repetition.

It is our sincere wish that each member of your family will enjoy the most bountiful and happiest Christmas ever!

And may we add a word of thanks for your much appreciated patronage during the year.

Our Wish for You...

Our genuine "Merry Christmas to All" . . . our friends and customers. Pleasant times like Christmas always remind us of the pleasure we have had in the privilege of doing business with you. May good luck attend your every wish this Christmas! And may holiday good cheer brighten the hours of this glorious season!

HERB BRUNS TAVERN
Herb Bruns, Prop. New Lenox, Ill.

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MOKENA, WILL COUNTY, ILLINOIS, FRIDAY DECEMBER 19, 1941

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Start Red Cross War Fund Drive In Mokena

The American Red Cross War drive is in full swing thruout our wonderful country. It is with regret that the Mokena branch officers must call upon our community to again answer the call of Their Red Cross. The following letter explains the purposes for which this money is to be used:

A few weeks ago you were asked to become a member of the American Red Cross. The response to the Roll Call was the best that the Mokena district has ever reported.

Since that time the United States has been forced into war and demands upon the Red Cross, your Red Cross, will be a thousand times greater than was anticipated at the time of the Annual Roll Call. The President of the United States has asked the people of this country to raise a fund of Fifty Million Dollars to provide the Red Cross with the means of carrying out the part that it will bear in this war. The monies received during the Annual Roll Call do not provide for war activities.

Now the Red Cross must provide for the families of men under arms should they face need; thousands of nurses must be provided; this means hours of training; the Red Cross must provide many times the amount of materials for surgical dressings that would be required under peace time operations; and the Red Cross must prepare for civilian relief in case of bombing, fire, disease or epidemic.

The funds raised through the Roll Call will not provide for all these extra demands and so you are asked to give generously to the Red Cross War Fund. Will County has been asked to give \$29,000.00 as its share of the national burden.

You will not be solicited at your homes for contributions. During the week there will be a representative of the Red Cross at the Mokena State Bank and if you can't call in person, send your contribution by mail or messenger. Thursday afternoon make contributions at the Post Office.

The United States is at war. This means that you and I and everyone of us is taking part against the enemy. Our boys are under arms, more will be very shortly. Let us all give for their sake!

It is hoped that Mokena will do their share to help make the drive a huge success. Please don't forget our boys are doing their share, so let's all get together and show our appreciation for what they're sacrificing for us here in America.

During the first week in January Mrs. Chas. Rose has volunteered her services to teach Food and Nutrition classes for our women in the Community. Pres. Roosevelt has asked that all women take advantage of these classes. Time and Place for this instruction will be announced later.

There will be First Aid classes started during the 1st week in January. It is sincerely hoped to have enough register for this training to have two classes one for the men and one for the women. It is every citizen's duty to know first aid so that if disaster strikes, we will be prepared and know what to do and what not to do.

Mrs. Lumpkin has offered to take charge of our Knitting program which is a huge one. Articles for our soldiers in cold climates, as well as lots to be done for the sailors in the North Atlantic patrol. This later quota must be finished before January 31. Every one who wants to learn to knit may get in touch with Mrs. Lumpkin and she will be very happy to give instructions.

Frankfort Pastor Re-Elected Head of Red Cross Unit

Rev. Rudolph Malek of the Frankfort Methodist church has been re-elected chairman of the Frankfort Unit of the Will County Red Cross. Mrs. Glenn Folkers has been elected vice-president, Mrs. Blanche Mitchell, secretary and Mrs. George Andrews, treasurer. She has held this office for the past 24 years.

Mrs. John Jones of the Lincoln Estates has been named as chairman for that section.

Sewing, knitting and various other kind of work will start this week. Anyone interested is welcome to join any of the circles either in the Methodist or St. Peter's Evangelical and Reformed church or in Lincoln Estates. Mrs. George Andrews has been appointed as chairman of all work.

Should Offer Transport To Those Seeking To Enlist

The Navy recruiting station at 225 S. Clark St., Chicago announces that due to the present rush for enlistment in the Navy, those in the Recruiting office must stay at their stations to take care of the flow of young men.

They suggest that patriotic citizens offer to transport by automobile to the nearest Navy recruiting station, young men desirous of enlisting.

D.A.R. PLACE MARKER ON PIONEER'S GRAVE

Last Sunday afternoon an unusual ceremony took place in the Brook's cemetery in Homer Township, when the Louis Joliet Chapter of the Daughters of Revolutionary Soldiers of Joliet placed and dedicated a marker on the grave and to the memory of Mrs. Lydia Bowen Bump.

It was the official marker of the D.A.R. and is of bronze. It was placed on the grave by the D.A.R. Regent, Mrs. Wilhelmina Haley of Joliet, who also conducted a brief service.

Mrs. Bump as a child lived in the east and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bowen, the former fighting in the Revolutionary war. She married Mr. Jacob Bump and together they moved in the 1830's to this part of the country buying land in Homer Twp. They were among the first settlers in this section where they endured many hardships and trials of pioneer life. Mr. Bump died August 12, 1849 and Mrs. Bump on April 16, 1852.

They were the grand parents of Geo. Bump Sr., of Homer Twp.

Although the day was very cold, there was a large number present at this service.

Mrs. Fred Trask of Lockport, Historian of the Louis Joliet Chapter was among those present.

Important

Due to the present uncertain war conditions and the scarcity of steel made, we have been able only to secure 300 of the handy kitchen hatchets which we are giving as a premium for new and renewal subscriptions to this newspaper. When this supply of premiums is gone it may be impossible for us to secure any more. So while we still have a supply on hand we ask all our subscribers to renew their subscription at the earliest possible moment and be sure to receive this handy and useful premium.

ACTIVITIES OF TINLEY CIVIC CLUB REVIEWED

The Tinley Park Civic Club heard a fine report of the club's activities at the last meeting. Following are excerpts from the annual report summarizing some of the activities of the Tinley Park Civic Club:

"One of the first acts that the Club undertook in order to inject new activities and add new interest was a suggested change of the by-laws which were considered out of tune with an organization that is striving to perform work of strictly civic nature. A Committee was formed to work out a set of new by-laws representative of a community organization. Such by-laws were drawn up and they were subsequently adopted by the Club.

"In collaboration with Post 615 of the American Legion, the Business Men's Association and the WBA, the Club participated in giving a Christmas party for the children of the Tinley Park School.

"Early in the year the local post of the American Legion staged an 'Americanism' program and the Civic Club took part in the elaborate and impressive presentation by having Messrs. Harper, Lawrence and Stemm read excerpts from writings of historical significance penned by great American statesmen. The members of the Civic Club added to the magnificence and dignity of the Club's part in the program by appearing 'en masse' on the stage.

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Arrested For Taking Picture Of WLS Radio Transmitter

Albert Lehnert, 35 years old of Mokena was taken into custody the forepart of the week by Roy McKay, a special guard recently assigned to guard the transmitter of WLS northeast of Mokena.

McKay told Sheriff James O'Neill that he apprehended Lehnert while he was taking a picture of the building and equipment with an inexpensive camera.

Deputies said that Lehnert is a member of an old Mokena family, who had no previous record and who made photography a hobby.

Undergoes Emergency Appendicitis Operation

Miss Marie Bettenhausen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Bettenhausen was stricken with an appendicitis attack yesterday (Thursday) and was taken to St. Francis hospital, Blue Island for an emergency operation.

SHOULD FLY AMERICAN FLAG FROM ALL LOCAL PUBLIC BUILDINGS

During these days of war stress it is suggested that the American flag should be flown every day from every school, postoffice and village hall in the villages in this section. Every community should show their colors.

MOKENA COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS PROGRAM TO BE HELD SUN. NIGHT

This program will be held at the Community Christmas tree on the Rock Island station grounds at 7:30 on Sunday, Dec. 21.

1. Address of Welcome.
2. Mokena School Music club, Christmas carol, Miss Hennessy, Director.

3. Mixed Choral group, Christmas Carol.

4. Men's Quartet, Christmas carol.

5. Santa Claus. Distribution of gifts to children of Mokena.

6. Final Christmas selections over loudspeaker system.

This Paper Will Be Issued Next Wednesday

Christmas coming on Thursday next week, and Christmas Eve on Wednesday, we must issue this paper next Wednesday morning, and this means that all news matter has got to be in by Monday noon for next week's edition.

THE EDITOR

Christmas Lighting Contest for Mokena

Christmas, the time for good tidings and joy is with us. Again this year main streets and crossroads of large cities and small communities will present tableaux of color and light during the Christmas season. Streets, shops and homes will greet the eyes of people everywhere with garlands, laurel and floodlighting. For weeks, thousands upon thousands of American communities will give tangible expression to the timeless spirit of "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men." Mokena will be among these communities.

The Mokena Civic Club will sponsor a Christmas home decoration contest this year that can be participated in by every home in the community. Three cash prizes will be awarded to the homes with the best and original decorations:

1st prize, \$15.00, 2nd, 10.00, 3rd 5.00. The homes will be judged on Monday, December 29 by a committee of three judges from outside the community. The prize money has been donated by the Mokena Garden Club, the Mokena Village Board and the Mokena Civic Club. Let's all enter this contest and make Mokena the finest decorated community in this vicinity.

FORMER MOKENA BANKER TAKES UP NEW POSITION AT PECATONICA

Mr. and Mrs. Otto A. Bartel who have been residents of Mokena for the past 12 years, leave this week end for their new home in Pecatonica, Illinois, near Rockford, where Mr. Bartel will be in charge of the new Pecatonica State Bank as cashier when the new institution opens in January.

Mr. Bartel came to Mokena from Alta Vista, Iowa where he was engaged in the banking business for 21 years.

Mr. Bartel made a good record and his Mokena friends wish him an abundance of success in his new location.

Everett J. Cooper who has been serving as assistant cashier of the Mokena State Bank has been advanced to the position of cashier and makes a good man for the job and his friends here wish him much success in his new and responsible position. Mr. Cooper has had quite a lot of banking experience and is a member of one of the oldest families in the Mokena-Orland section.

NEW LENOX BANK DECLARES 8 PER CENT DIVIDEND FOR 1941

The officers and board of directors of the New Lenox State Bank have had a very successful banking year and have declared an 8 per cent dividend and dividend checks were mailed out this week to the stockholders by Fred Krog, cashier of the New Lenox State Bank.

Balmy Weather Brings Out Mushrooms In Forest Preserve

The spring like weather makes Christmas appear a long way off. It is reported that the balmy weather has been responsible for the finding of mushrooms in a forest preserve near Tinley Park.

MOKENA CHURCH TO PRESENT PLAY WRITTEN BY PASTOR'S FATHER

At the St. John Evangelical church the Sunday School will present their Xmas program next Wednesday evening at 7:45 p. m. An outstanding feature will be a play entitled "Seeking the New Born King" written by Rev. Theo. Haefele's father, Rev. A. Haefele.

FRANKFORT CHURCHES TO PRESENT PAGEANTS

The various churches will present their Christmas exercises next Wednesday evening. In Frankfort the St. Peter's Evangelical church Sunday School will present a pageant "Christmas Giving." This is given by all from beginners class to confirmation age.

At the Frankfort Methodist church a Christmas program and pageant will be presented Tuesday evening at 7 p. m.

MOKENA METHODIST CHURCH XMAS PROGRAM BEING HELD TONIGHT

The Mokena Methodist Sunday School will present their Christmas program tonight at 8 p. m., in the church. The program in its entirety appears on page 12 of this issue.

COUNTY CLERK HARTLEY DELIVERS THE GOODS

Recently this paper ran a story about the excellent information that Joseph H. Hartley, clerk of Will County is giving in a weekly radio chat and the following letter and reply to it by Mr. Hartley shows how efficiently the county clerk's office functions and is a fine tribute to Mr. Hartley and his very efficient helpers:

Little Falls, Minn., Dec. 8, 1941
County Clerk Joseph Hartley,
Dear Sir:

After seeing the item of your radio broadcast in the News-Bulletin of Mokena I would like to ask a favor of you.

Am sending you a clipping of the Bulletin and also an addressed envelope for your convenience. Could you send me a birth certificate or some record of it?

I was born in Frankfort Township on Aug. 8th, 1880. Would be recorded as John Schelling not having the middle name of Jeroms until confirmation.

If it will help you I will give you the following information also. I was married to Mathilda Hoffmann Oct. 3, 1906 at Mokena, Ill. We were divorced at Little Falls, Minn. November 7, 1927 and I married Mrs. Ella J. Allard of Little Falls on Dec. 28, 1940.

My father's name was John A. Schelling, born somewhere on Long Island, N. Y. My mother's name was Susan Schelling, maiden name Susan Jungles born in Homer, Ill. Hoping to hear from you soon and thank you very much.

Sincerely Yours,

John J. Schelling,
Little Falls, Minnesota, R.1

December 9th, 1941

Mr. John J. Schelling
Route No. 1
Little Falls, Minnesota
Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of December 8th, I wish to advise that there is no record in this office of the birth of John Schelling in Frankfort Township, Illinois on August 8, 1880.

Enclosed herein is a certificate of birth and affidavit to be completed and signed to record this birth. This certificate has been filled in as far as possible from the information given in your letter. Please fill in the other information, such as parents' names, occupations, and the number of children.

When this certificate has been completed, an older blood relative must sign the affidavit before a notary public. If the physician is still living he must sign at Item No. 21 and the affidavit may be left blank. If he is not living, however, the affidavit must be filled out and Item No. 21 left blank.

Return the completed and signed papers to Mr. Walter Pfaff, Registrar, Frankfort, Illinois, who records the birth certificates of persons born in Frankfort or Frankfort township. Please do not return the paper to this office.

A certificate of birth may be secured immediately from Mr. Pfaff if needed. The fee is fifty cents. After the 10th of the following month a certification of this record may be obtained from this office at any time since the record will be permanently recorded here after that date. The fee for this certification is fifty cents. Please do not send stamps for the fee. Please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope and mention that this birth has been recorded by delayed registration.

Yours very truly,
Joseph H. Hartley,
County Clerk.

2 Horses Killed On Highway; Auto Driver Hurt

While the hired man on the Herbert Bettenhausen farm on 171st street was bringing ten head of horses home from the pasture across the highway, about 5:45 o'clock Wednesday evening, the horses crowded on a small bridge. Clarence Bettenhausen who was driving on this highway at the time failed to see the horses until he was to close and ran into them, killing two, injuring five others. Mr. Bettenhausen sustained painful injuries and his car was wrecked.

FRANKFORT LIONS ENJOY CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Christmas party sponsored by the Frankfort Lions Club at the Frankfort Methodist church parlors Tuesday night was a very enjoyable affair. The tables were given a real Christmas effect with large red lighted candles set in attractive holders. All the old time Christmas carols and songs were sung, concluding with the ever popular "Silent Night."

At the close of a very fine dinner, the Lions forget the fret and worries of the day with a mirth provoking comic Christmas gift exchange. Some of the most amusing and laugh provoking articles were presented to the various members of the Lions Club. Following this most delightful round of fun, the Lions indulged in a round of tango games with prizes for the winners.

At the close of the period of games, the Lions heard reports on the projects they recently suggested. Mayor George Sangmeister of Frankfort reported that the plan of house numbering as suggested by the Lions Club at their last meeting had been presented to the village board and this body heartily approved the plan and work on it will start sometime in January according to present plans.

The Lions also heard a report by attorney Herbert Folkers relative to electric stop and go lights as recommended for the five corners to the north of Frankfort by the Lions Club. Mr. Folkers stated that the matter had been taken up with the state highway department and they advised that if less than 1000 automobiles and trucks did not pass that particular point in an hour, no lights could be installed. Traffic is not that heavy at the point mentioned, so it is not likely that any stop and go lights will be installed for sometime to come.

The Lions then took up the matter of trying to get a local public library started with WPA aid and efforts will be made to see what can be done about the project.

Next a drive for new members was outlined and teams appointed to campaign for new members.

The Frankfort Lions are a very live group and have accomplished quite a lot during the short time they have been organized. You will hear more from this active group from time to time.

MOKENA RED CROSS STATEMENT CORRECTION

Thru oversight on my part, the names of A. S. H. Bender and Elmer Sippel were unintentionally omitted from the list of donors to Mokena Branch of American Red Cross. Each of the above gave \$5.00, thus becoming a "contributing member." My humble apology to Mr. Bender and Mr. Sippel and also to Roll Call chairman Mr. Schaeffer who had his list correct.

So that all may have a better understanding how money received in a Roll Call drive is handled: 50c of the \$5.00 contributing members and also of the \$1.00 annual dues is all that is given to the National Headquarters. The donations by an organization remain entirely with the local branch of which this year Mokena has two: St. Mary's Catholic church, \$3.00 and Mokena Civic Association, \$10.00. Also 50 per cent of all donations under a dollar go to the National Headquarters. The annual membership of Mrs. Florence Steele came in after the drive was closed which is added to the total.

—Mrs. Wm. Semmler, treasurer
Mokena Branch Am. Red Cross

Mokena PTA To Sponsor Christmas Party December 23

A special feature of the PTA meeting next Tuesday evening, December 23 at the Mokena school will be the annual Christmas party given for the children of our school. A short business meeting will begin at 7:45 which will be followed by the children's Christmas play. At the close of the play each child will receive a gift.

To Spend Xmas With Husband In Army Camp

Mrs. Wm. Morgan of Chester, Indiana is going to Fort Crockett, Texas to spend the Christmas holidays with her husband, Corporal Wm. Morgan. Mrs. Morgan will be better remembered as Genevieve Pfleger of Mokena.

Stranger With Stolen Geese Caught In Mokena

Walter McGovney of Mokena has of late lost considerable poultry taken by thieves. On Monday evening a raid was made on the flock of geese on his place and Mr. McGovney trailed the thief to Mokena and to the Rock Island depot. In a fight which ensued Mr. McGovney knocked the stranger down and recovered his geese. Later the stranger was arrested but so far no disposition has been made of the case.

ATTRACTIONS THAT ARE COMING TO ROXY THEATRE AT LOCKPORT

At the Roxy Theatre Friday and Saturday — 2 exciting features — Richard Arlen and Jean Parker in "Flying Blind" and Tom Harmon in "Harmon of Michigan".

Sunday and Monday — Continuous show Sunday, doors open at 1:30. Deanna Durbin, Charles Laughlin and Robert Cummings in "It Started With Eve." Added: "Chef Donald", a Donald Duck Cartoon— Butch and Buddy "Doing the Town".

Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 23-24—"Radio Nights" Free! \$89.50 Value Philco Radio. On the Screen: Dorothy Lewis in "Ice-capades".

Mokena Civic Group Hears Favorable Library Report

The Mokena Civic Association at their meeting Tuesday night completed plans for the municipal Christmas tree and program.

The Association heard very favorable reports on the proposed public library with WPA aid. The only thing remaining to be done is the securing of a desirable location.

The Boy Scouts sponsored by the civic group have been re-organized and Robert Geuther is taking instructions now on scout master work and will take up the scout mastership.

The Association also heard a report on the great success the recent party given by the Association in St. Mary's hall turned out to be.

Much interest is being shown in the activities of the Civic Association.

NEW LENOX CIVIC CLUB SEEKS BETTER ROADS

The New Lenox Civic club has been vitally interested in the improvement of highways in New Lenox township. Club members say no work has been done on the roads for some time and at a meeting of the Club Thursday night the matter was again taken up with the view to determine just what can be done to bring about improvements desired.

The town officials were invited to attend this meeting and to give their version of what can or can not be done to improve the roads.

NEW LENOX FIRE DEPT., TRUCK BEING BUILT

The Fire Department which was brought about in New Lenox township through the efforts of the New Lenox Civic Club gives promise of becoming a reality before very long. A fire truck is being built by the Darling Company of Chicago, manufacturers of fire fighting equipment. It is understood that the fire truck may be ready for delivery sometime in January.

New Speed Regulation Signs Placed On Cedar Road

The state highway department has placed speed restrictions on Cedar Road in New Lenox. The limit is set at 35 miles per hour. State highway police are going to patrol this section of highway and will enforce the new speed regulations.

FRANKFORT OFFICIALS ATTEND DEFENSE AREA MEETING

Last Friday night a meeting was called in the City hall, Joliet for the purpose of creating local defense areas throughout Will County. The mayors of the various incorporated villages had been invited and many were in attendance. A county co-ordinator was suggested and has since been selected by a committee of 8 members headed by the Mayor for Joliet and 3 members from the County chairman of the county board and three members selected by Mayor Jones from Joliet. Mayor Geo. Sangmeister and two members of the Frankfort village board, Fred Harnack Jr. and Chas. Bobzin and the editor attended this meeting.

Companion Wanted

Elderly man that wants own home. Inquire Box O, News-Bulletin, Mokena, Ill.

Small Towns Stage Real Comeback With Decentralization of Industries

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Young Tom Jones graduated from the state university last spring. He'd intended looking for a job in the city, like fellows from his home town have been doing ever since the World war. But a startling thing happened, and Tom came home instead.

That same startling thing is happening all over America. Small towns, which economists have for years been consigning to oblivion, are staging a spectacular comeback.

Actually this trend has been under way for a decade, as the economists learned with a start when the 1940 census returns began rolling in. The growth rate of metropolitan cities—which reached a level of 27 per cent in the years between 1920 and 1930—slowed down to a meager 8 per cent during the 1930-40 decade. Meanwhile the rate of increase for rural and small town areas jumped from 4 per cent in the former decade to 6 per cent in the last 10 years. A small gain, admittedly, but an encouraging picture for Main Street.

However, it took something more concrete than census statistics to convince young Tom Jones. He'd been reading the papers.

The papers said those millions of dollars in defense contracts were going to be spread out over the country, not concentrated in big cities. Decentralization was the keynote, not only because scattered factories make a tougher target for bombers but also because science and industry see a better future in non-metropolitan areas. Laboratory technicians have been pointing to farm and forest for tomorrow's raw materials. Moreover, huge water power projects like Grand Coulee, TVA and Boulder dam have beckoned to the industrialist. Tom Jones figured that America's future lies away from the big cities.

Around the Nation.

Here's a bird's-eye, 30-second Cook's tour of America to show you just a part of what's happening. "Way down south," where they used to concentrate on tobacco, cotton and sugar, paper mills are going up to utilize southern pulpwood. The chemical industry and the closely allied synthetic fiber industry is expanding, and TVA has changed the Tennessee-Alabama territory into one of the nation's foremost steel and aluminum processing areas.

The Southwest, top boom area of the nation, is pouring out oil and sulphur, and is making soda ash, acids, solvents and plastics. Shipyards on the coast, zinc in Missouri and oil in Texas and Oklahoma—these, coupled with the best all-year climate in the country for training an army, are beckoning thousands of new pioneers.

California, where industry has followed a population increase, is concentrating on ships and airplanes. Farther north, in the Pacific northwest, Bonneville and Grand Coulee are making possible the processing of bauxite and magnesium. A linen industry, replacing former imports, is growing in Oregon and Washington.

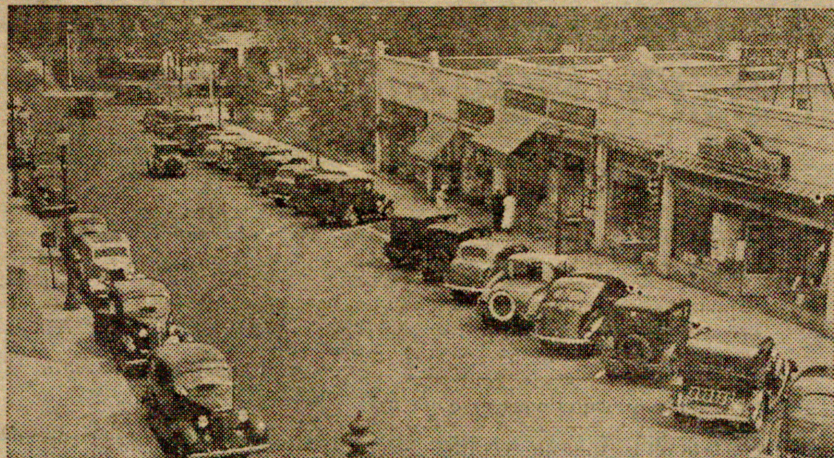
Hundreds of small town factories in the Middle West, darkened since 1929, are going at top speed again to augment the productive facilities of larger national defense plants. This is especially true in Illinois, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan and Indiana. The latter state boasts two well-defined production areas, one across the northern counties and another down south along the Ohio river.

The immediate effect of this resurgence to the small town has been somewhat chaotic, for housing and trade and recreational facilities have not been available to take care of the unexpected influx. But leading business men and economists are optimistic. For example, Col. Charles P. Wood wrote in Nation's Business recently that the widespread diffusion of defense contracts will "exert a powerful decentralizing influence far beyond the immediate effect of the defense program."

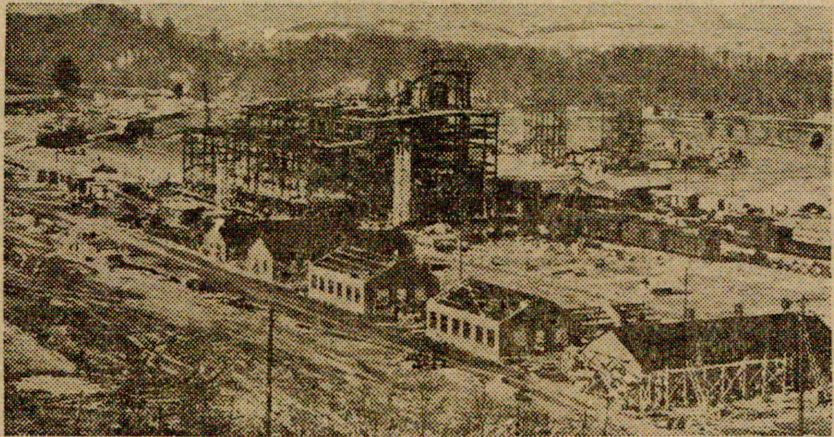
Decentralization Practical.

The factors that make decentralization practical are easy to list. First, better highways and trains, air travel and radio have made our land more compact. Second, costs are lower in the small town, away from the economically destructive burden of ever-increasing metropolitan taxes. Third, and probably most important, the small town gives employees a greater opportunity to enjoy a healthy and prosperous life.

Examples of the latter benefit are afforded by such firms as Hormel



Main Street, center of community life in thousands of small towns throughout America, is shown, top photo, as it looks in Ridgewood, N. J. Viewing latest census figures which show that cities are settling down into "old age" while rural communities are growing faster than ever.



economists say that Main Street, instead of Wall Street, is the avenue of opportunity for today's young business men. Lower photo shows one of the many factories going up in rural areas—the 300,000-pound-a-day smokeless-powder plant near Radford, Va., being built on farmland.

Packing company at Austin, Minn., Hamilton Manufacturing company at Two Rivers, Wis., and Schenley Distillers corporation, which recently reported on a survey of personnel at its plants in Lawrenceburg, Ind., and Frankfort, Ky. According to Lewis S. Rosenstiel, chairman of the board of the Schenley company, an increasing number of employees at these plants are building new homes on small farms within easy driving distance of work.

"This movement may well develop into the greatest revolution in American living conditions that we've experienced since the metropolitan city began coming into its own," Mr. Rosenstiel says. Defense plants, he predicts, will be converted to peacetime production under the stimulus of a "more productive era" into which we will move at the close of the war.

Henry Ford was one of the first of the nation's leading industrialists to recognize the value of decentralizing industry. "Beyond the immediate benefits and advantages accruing to the employer and the employee from industrial decentralization," according to W. J. Cameron of the Ford Motor company, "there are the wider implications of its communal and national social and economic significance. In more than one instance during the depression years the establishing of a little Ford industry in a Michigan town has been the economic salvation of that town. At the same time this action has the effect of relieving, however slightly, the human congestion of our overcrowded industrial centers."

The trend away from the established centers of industrial activity is not confined to the United States, says Clark H. Minor, president of the International General Electric company, who recently predicted a worldwide shift in the national industry centers as a result of the present war and the economic realignments that will follow.

That decentralization spells gloom for big cities is readily admitted by metropolitan real estate officials, whose property is already beginning to lay idle as factory after factory moves to greener pastures. In Chicago the Urban Land institute reports that the 45-square-mile central area has lost 165,000 population in the last 20 years. Meanwhile the volume of total Chicago shopping handled in the downtown "Loop" area shrank from 29 per cent in 1926 to only 17 per cent 10 years later.

The city, it appears, has reached its peak and is now heading downward. It's beginning to look like Main Street, not Wall Street, will be tomorrow's avenue of progress!

'Composite' Soldier Described by Army

WASHINGTON. — The average young man starting service in the United States army is 5 feet 8 inches tall, weighs 144 pounds, has a chest measurement of 33 1/4 inches, a 31-inch waistline, wears a 9 1/2-D shoe and a size 7 hat, according to figures compiled by the war department. The data are based on records of the army quartermaster corps, which has directed the measuring and clothing of more than 1,500,000 men.

After a few months in the army, however, the recruit has gained in weight on army food, wears shoes one-half size larger and has an expanded chest measurement.

To keep this average soldier in fighting trim for the first year, the quartermaster corps spends \$404.65, of which \$175.20 is for his food; \$162.05 for clothing; \$15.79 for individual equipment; and \$51.61 for barracks equipment. Weapons, ammunition, pay and other expenses incurred are not included.

Uncle Sam spends about 48 cents a day, or \$175.20 a year, to feed the average enlisted man.

The American soldier eats at the finest army mess in the world. On a weekly basis his garrison, or peacetime ration consists of the following average quantities of basic foods:

4 pounds, 6 ounces of fresh beef; 14 ounces of chicken; 1 pound, 12 ounces of fresh pork; 7 eggs; 9 pounds, 3 ounces of fresh and canned vegetables; a little over 1 pound of cereals and dry vegetables; about 2 pounds of fresh and canned fruits; 14 ounces of coffee, 4 pounds, 6 ounces of potatoes; and 4 pounds of fresh and evaporated milk.

Clothing Costs.

Clothing needed to outfit the enlisted man when he begins duty costs the government \$107.89. Maintenance cost of clothing for a year is \$54.16.

Clothing issued to the soldier includes: 8 pairs of shorts (either cotton or woolen); 8 undershirts (usually cotton, but 2 may be woolen); 9 pairs of socks; 3 pairs of shoes—2 pairs high brown service shoes and 1 pair low dress oxfords; 6 pairs of trousers—4 cotton khaki and 2 woolen; 6 shirts—4 cotton khaki and 2 flannel, woolen, or O.D.; 1 woolen overcoat; 1 cotton field jacket with woolen lining; 3 herringbone cotton twill jackets (to soldiers not issued one-piece work suits); 3 pairs of herringbone twill trousers to go with jackets; 2 pairs of canvas leggings (when not issued boots); 4 neckties—2 black woolen and 2 cotton khaki; 1 herringbone twill hat to go with suit of similar material; 2 caps—1 woolen, 1 cotton khaki (except in tropics); 1 woolen or serge coat; 1 cotton khaki web waist belt; 1 pair of woolen, O.D. gloves; 6 white cotton handkerchiefs; and 1 steel helmet.

When he enters the service the enlisted man receives 1 toilet set containing shaving brush, tooth brush, comb, safety razor with 5 blades; 1 pair of suspenders; 2 identification discs with one yard of tape; 2 hand towels; 1 bath towel; 2 barrack bags; 1 canvas field bag; 1 cartridge belt (if armed with rifle); 1 pistol belt (if armed with pistol); 1 mess kit; 1 canteen and cover; 1 pack carrier; 1 cup; 1 fork; 1 spoon; 1 knife; 1 haversack (if not issued field bag); 1 web pocket (if armed with pistol); 1 first aid pouch.



For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: And the government shall be upon his shoulder: And his name shall be called wonderful, counsellor, the mighty God, the everlasting father, the prince of peace.

—Isaiah 9:6

Infants Under Year Old Enjoy Christmas Gifts, Baby Claims



"Of course we babies can enjoy Christmas gifts."

Dear World:

Of course, I'm disgusted. You'd feel this way too if folks said you were too dumb to enjoy Christmas. They say that we babies less than a year old don't need presents because we can't appreciate them anyway. The idea!

A lot of other babies are also complaining about this attitude. Why, we can talk better English than most grown-ups.

"Dud iddy biddy baby want pretty rattle-wattle? Daddikens will pick it up from the floorsie-worsie for oo."

Phoebe! If I couldn't talk better than this I'd keep still. And then they have the audacity to assume that babies under one year are too young to enjoy Christmas.

Last month we conducted a poll among babies 12 months of age or younger, asking them if they considered themselves capable of enjoying Christmas.

Exactly 987 of the 1,000 babies questioned replied emphatically in the affirmative. The 13 who voted "no" are going to be a year old before Christmas and felt they would have a better chance of getting presents from relatives if their younger cousins were left out. But that's a purely selfish motive and doesn't affect the unanimity of the poll.

Now that you have had indisputable proof that babies enjoy Christmas, don't rush out to buy us an electric train or bicycle. After all, we act our age even though we know better.

There are several points you should keep in mind while looking through the toy department: We want toys that will attract our attention, and they must be cleaned easily. We babies have a bad habit of putting things in our mouths, so

if the toy is too small, we might swallow it. Don't worry, though. We'll get over the habit.

Colored bakelite disks on a chain make one of the nicest and least expensive gifts for babies. We can have a lot of fun playing with those white, yellow, red and green disks. And they're real easy to keep clean, too.

Other children want only toys they can play with, but we babies can appreciate the more practical gifts such as cribs, playpens and jumper-swings. They are virtual necessities to us and make our lives much more pleasant.

Clothing also makes excellent gifts. A few of the many articles we would be glad to receive include shirts, night gowns, dresses, rompers, shoes, stockings and bonnets.

One of the most practical and welcome gifts for any baby would be an automobile seat. These can be attached to the seat of any automobile and permit babies to see out, but prevent them from falling out. Babies must be able to sit up before using them, but all babies learn to sit up before they are very old. And we enjoy looking out of the window of the car as much as you do. It's no fun just looking at the inside of the car when we're going some place. How would you like it?

Another practical gift would be a life-insurance policy that will mature in about 18 years and provide funds for a college education. Or, savings account can be opened in baby's name for as little as \$1—but you don't have to make it that small.

We babies can't get Christmas presents for our parents and other grownups, but we certainly would if we could. Just wait a couple of years and see if we don't.

Signed, Disgusted "Youth."

Early Puritans Forbid 'Crime' of Celebrating Christmas

Celebrating Christmas was a crime to the early Puritans in Massachusetts. The practice was looked down upon with so much disfavor that anyone observing the date was fined five shillings. On May 11, 1659, the general court in Boston passed a law against Christmas celebrations which said:

"It is therefore ordered by this court and the authority thereof that whosoever shall be found observing any such day as Christmas or

the like, either by forebearing labor, feasting, or any other way, upon such account as aforesaid, every such person so offending shall pay for every such offense five shillings as a fine to the county."

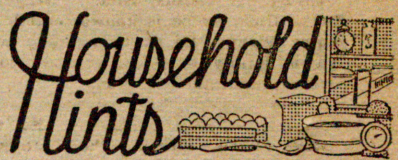
Fair Warning

"Listen, chillun" said Uncle Eben, "don't eat yohsefs into a state of mind whar you's wishin' for a doctor harder dan you did for Santa Claus."

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Toasted nuts are very good served on ice-cream sundaes, puddings or frozen desserts. Try toasted almonds or cashews with chocolate mint sauce on vanilla ice cream.

Potatoes bake more quickly if placed on the broiler instead of the floor of the gas oven, and the flavor will be much improved by quick baking.

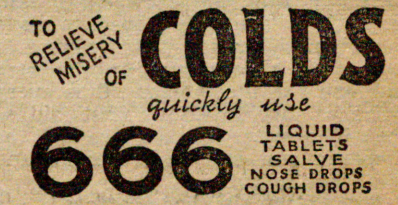


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People's Will

Nothing can ruin our country if the people themselves will undertake its safety—and nothing can save it if they leave that safety in any hands other than their own.—Daniel Webster.



Bearing Ills

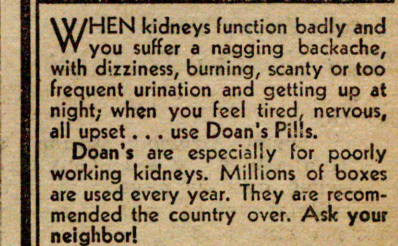
We deem those happy who, from the experience of life, have learned to bear ills, without being overcome by them.—Juvenal.



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Take the Day

Cease to inquire what the future has in store, and take as a gift whatever the day brings forth.—Horace.



Champion Farmers

Hold Third Reunion

CHICAGO.—Included in the special activities of agricultural groups in Chicago at the time of the International Live Stock exposition this year was the third reunion of the Champion Farmers' association.

This group of over 100 farmers, each of whom has achieved prominence in his particular phase of farming, spent two days of sight-seeing, banquets, luncheons and at-

tendance at the feature events of the exposition as guests of the Firestone Tire & Rubber company. A highlight of the reunion was the "Christmas" banquet at the Congress hotel, with Leonard K. Firestone playing host.

Pursuits of these Champion Farmers are widely scattered in the field of agriculture. Some are famed for livestock production, crop production, soil conservation, introduction of new products and as outstanding breeders of better seeds.

DEEP WATER ISLAND

by ALAN LEMAY

W-N-U-RELEASE

INSTALLMENT THREE

THE STORY SO FAR: Karen Waterson, San Francisco girl, convinced by her lawyer, John Colt, that she has a claim to the island estate of her grandfather, Garrett Waterson, arrives in Honolulu to attempt to gain control of the property. One evening while she and Colt are dining and discussing plans for pressing her claims, Richard Wayne, or Tonga Dick, as he is known, enters their dining place. He is a member of the Wayne family that has been in control of her grandfather's island, Alakoa, since the old man's disappearance. Karen meets him, and believing that he is unaware of her identity she accepts an offer to go sailing with him the next day, hoping she can get some information from him. Later that night Dick goes to the home of his half-brothers, Willard and Ernest, and a conference is being held regarding the validity of Karen's claim.

Now continue with the story.

"I always heard," Tonga Dick said, "that Garrett Waterson was a great old boy—quite a character."

"Character be damned," Willard fumed. "He had no character at all. He was an outrageous old brawler, always at the center of every disturbance of any kind. He was always doing incredible, outlandish things."

"And he sold Alakoa for fifteen thousand dollars," Tonga Dick commented. "What's it worth today? Three million?"

"Ridiculous," Ernest snapped. "The assets, as we carry them on the book—"

"Maybe," Dick said, "after all, Garrett Waterson was a little fuzzy at the edges, when he did that!"

"Right there," Willard said mockingly, "is the whole point. If they can show that Garrett Waterson was incompetent, it follows that his granddaughter was left destitute by this single incompetent act."

Tonga Dick considered, and presently allowed himself a slow grin. "You know, it's just possible that the girl really has you!"

Ernest flared up. "You have just as much interest in Alakoa as we have—or ought to have!"

"I guess," Dick said speculatively, "I'd better have a talk with this Waterson girl."

"Ridiculous!"

"Can't see how it can hurt anything."

"She won't talk to you," Willard said shortly. "She won't do anything at all without consulting John Colt."

"Oh, yes, she will. Tomorrow, I'm going to take her on a cruise up the coast—sight-seeing, you know."

"She won't even see you," Willard said again.

"She already has. I talked with her nearly an hour tonight."

"You what?"

"I said, I've been talking to her all night. Can't you understand plain—"

"Did she know who you were?"

"Naturally. Do you think she's a dummy?"

His two brothers stared at him for a little while in inarticulate outrage.

"I absolutely forbid this sailing trip," Willard got out at last.

"And so do I," Ernest echoed.

"Any parley that is made with that adventuress will be in full consultation with us and our attorneys. I absolutely forbid you to see this girl again without the full concordance of—"

"Go ahead and forbid," Tonga Dick encouraged him. "After all there isn't a thing in the world you can do."

John Colt came to take breakfast with Karen Waterson next morning.

Their brightly silvered breakfast table overlooked the beach, where the warm sea was breaking in emerald combers shot through with the early sun. Looking out at the lazy sea, Karen Waterson knew that she was afraid.

The exultant assurance of victory which she had felt the night before was gone, suddenly unable to live in all this sunlight.

She could hardly remember what had persuaded her to make an incognito date to sail with the one man who had most reason to be her enemy.

In spite of the evening, Tonga Dick remained a shadowy and mysterious figure—an unaccountable stranger whose very name was outlandish according to any standards she knew.

In this mood she found it pleasant to sit across a breakfast table from John Colt. It did not happen very often, and was the more helpful because it did not.

Some day, she knew, John Colt would make love to her; whether they won or lost, that time would come as inevitably as the falling of Hawaiian rain. Often she speculated curiously as to whether this would happen before or after their fight with the Waynes was closed, and amused herself by imagining what she would do about it when it came.

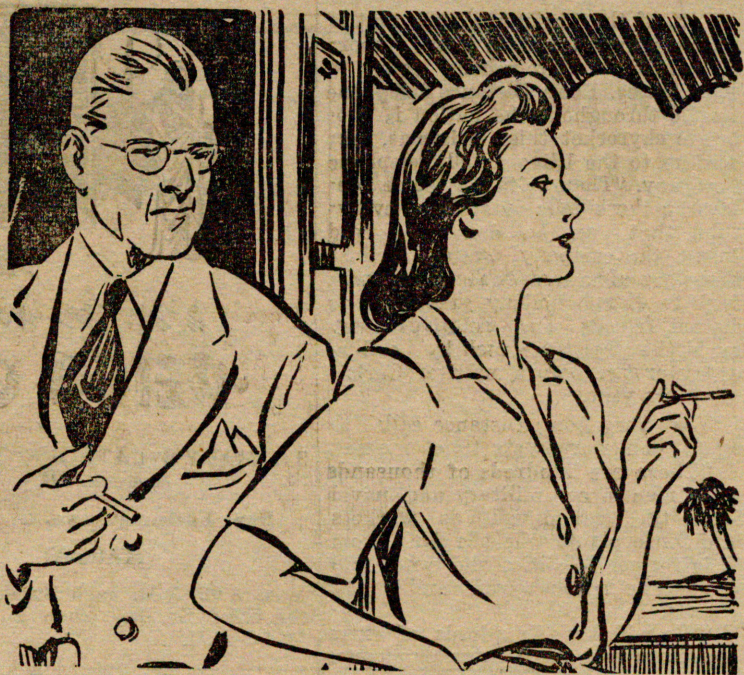
"I am very much at a loss to imagine," he said now, "why you have committed yourself to this peculiar arrangement."

On an impulse Karen said, "I'll tell you why I have to go. I have to go because I'm afraid of those Waynes."

"They're people," Karen said, "from whom we are about to take everything they have."

"What you're taking is yours," John Colt said.

"Sometimes I wonder if it really is."



On an impulse Karen said, "I'll tell you why I have to go. I have to go because I'm afraid of those Waynes."

John Colt looked at her curiously. To this man, this watchful and restless planner, honesty was a rigid thing; rights of property were matters decided only in courts, and no other rights existed.

"Listen to me," he said. "Everything they have is based upon the fact that they took the island of Alakoa from your grandfather after he had become incompetent—as we shall prove. Thus everything they have is literally stolen from you."

Something of John Colt's own spirit of conquest came back into Karen Waterson. "Yes," she said; "and I'm not wavering, John. You can be perfectly sure of this—I'll never turn back now."

CHAPTER III

Lying full length on a deck chair, Karen drank a pre-lunch Martini, and watched the stunning blue and white of the sea stream past the low foredeck of Richard Wayne's schooner. Here, out upon the slowly breathing Pacific, John Colt himself seemed as far away as San Francisco had seemed from the lagoon of the Royal Hawaiian.

At first, sheering away from Barber's Point, Karen had experienced a sharp sinking of spirits.

But during the morning hours on the sea a new vitality had come into her, as if from the long swells of the open sea itself; and after lunch she sought a way to push ahead with her self-elected task of studying Tonga Dick. The Holokai was a two-masted schooner of 110 feet; Dick Wayne called her a trading schooner, with auxiliary power, but very definitely she was something else. Her racing-schooner hull, astonishingly loaded by her great Diesel, had hardly any cargo space at all, other than that needed for her own stores. Karen put out a tentative feeler.

"I was wondering how your schooner came by her name."

"Holokai means 'sea-rider,'" he told her.

"That's peculiarly poetic."

"Oh, I didn't name her myself. She was named by the man from whom she came to me."

"Who?" Karen asked innocently.

Tonga Dick shrugged. "There are all manner of boats knocking about the Pacific. You can always get hold of a boat."

She studied Tonga Dick Wayne, covertly. In the bright reflected light of the cloudless sea he still seemed young, even younger than she had believed the night before.

She thought now that she detected something faintly ironic in his gaze. It was as if the darkness that was under the blue of the sea had come nearer behind his eyes.

Karen turned uneasy. She said, "Dick—what is it?"

"You're very lovely," he said. "It's only fair to tell you this: in every way that I can imagine, you're the loveliest thing I've ever seen on the earth or the face of the sea."

"Well, really, are you making love to me now?" It was a flimsy defense; in contradiction to his words, she knew that he was not making love.

"No man of any sense pretends to know anything about women," Tonga Dick was saying. "The old Island people drew deadlines past which no woman could come, and those lines were drawn by darkness, and fear. They knew the truth—that it is not possible for a man to know what things govern a woman. Yet I'll tell you this: it would be easy for anyone to believe in you, even without understanding you at all."

He was speaking as if from behind a wall. Suddenly Karen Waterson knew what he had meant, and it accounted for the flat sound of words that should have been love-making.

A sharp and immediate panic swept her as she understood, all at once and completely, that Richard Wayne knew who she was.

She jerked her eyes from his face and stood up, bracing herself against the reel of the little schooner. A glance across the face of the sea told her a startling thing, before unconsidered. All that day, since early morning, they had been striking straight out from Honolulu into the open Pacific.

"I think," she said, "we'd better go back, hadn't we?"

There was defeat and admission of defeat in that; but, knowing what she now knew, she could hope for nothing in the world here, except a means of return. "We'll be very late into Honolulu."

"A little," Dick said.

"But if you'll turn now—" he said oddly, "is that we can't turn back. At least not yet."

"You mean—you mean—"

"Don't worry," Dick said: "there isn't anything to worry about. Meanwhile—if you'll look across the starboard bow, you'll see Alakoa—Karen."

Alakoa, as seen from this approach, rose steeply from the water; the folds of her hills were of a shadowy and unearthly blue, but the rays of the sun, slanting low now, struck her tall up-thrusting ridges with traceries of red gold. There was something terribly appealing about Alakoa as Karen saw it then. In one way it seemed so little in that vast expanse of salt water, the very intensity of whose deep blue seemed to speak of a vital strength, a vast living will which nothing could withstand nor deny. Yet Alakoa rose bravely from the heart of the sea, so tall that it seemed slenderly tall.

Tonga Dick stood up, rising lightly on one heel instead of two, and reached for her hand. When she did not give it he took her wrist, and pulled her to the forward rail, beside the reaching bowsprit.

"Of course," he said, "you don't see much of it from here. There's four thousand feet of rise in those highest hills. The cane fields, the rice paddies, and the little fishing villages are all on the other side."

"And now what?" she asked.

"We'll land in another hour," he told her.

"In another hour? But Honolulu is—"

"I mean, on Alakoa."

When Karen was certain of what he had said, angry tears sprang into her eyes. "You mean you're not going to turn back?"

"I'm afraid I can't."

"You can't what?"

"I can't turn back. You see, I have received an extremely urgent radio from Alakoa. It will be necessary for us to land. I think, Karen, you had better plan to spend the night as Alakoa's guest."

"This is preposterous," Karen said. "I certainly shall do nothing of the kind."

"Now, now," Dick said soothingly. "I was hoping you would enjoy it."

"This is kidnapping," Karen said. Her voice was steady now; the anger was still there, but leveled now by something very like a calculating hate.

Tonga Dick smiled. "Shanghai," he corrected her. "We call it shanghai, at sea."

"I can't imagine," Karen said, "what you can possibly expect to gain by this."

"I'm very much surprised that you're not more interested," Dick said. "Inasmuch as you have set out to take possession of Alakoa, I should think you'd like to see what it looks like."

"I can see it perfectly plainly from here."

"You see a rock sticking out of the sea," he admitted. "There are a good many thousands of them in the Pacific. But you can't see from here any of the things that make Alakoa desirable to you and to your friend John Colt. What is really interesting, from a financial standpoint, is the development that the Waynes have made—the flumes that make the cane fields possible, and the mills. Those things have taken a good many years to build, without them Alakoa would still support only a handful of fishermen, and would certainly never have come to the attention of Mr. Colt."

Karen cried out, with a passion strange to herself, "If you've brought me out here to preach at me—"

"Be sure of this," he said crisply. "I preach to no one. I brought you here for the same reason that you came. I wanted to know what you were like. Isn't that what you wanted of me?"

"Yes," Karen Waterson said. Her voice was suddenly quiet.

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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for December 21

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THE COMING OF GOD'S SON

LESSON TEXT—Isaiah 9:6, 7; John 1:1-4, 10-14; I John 4:9-11
GOLDEN TEXT—The Father sent the Son to be the Saviour of the world.—I John 4:14.

Christmas again! How shall we keep it in a world torn by strife and poisoned by man's bitterness against man? Let us keep it with all the joy and gladness at our command. Let us make this the best Christmas we and our families have ever had. How? By giving more and richer gifts? No—although they have their place when rightly given and received. By feasting and merrymaking? No—although they too have their place when carried on in the true spirit of love and friendship. What then? Let us make this an outstanding Christmas by centering our thoughts, our affections, our joys—yes, and our gifts of self and substance—around God's Son, whose "birthday" we celebrate.

May Christmas, 1941, be the best you have ever spent. This is the writer's sincere wish for you. One way to make it just that is to diligently study our lesson for this next Sunday, which tells of the coming of God's Son.

I. His Coming and Character Prophesied (Isa. 9:6, 7).

God who was to send His Son into the world to become the Saviour of sinful man fittingly made known His coming through Isaiah (and others) 800 years before it took place. This greatest event in all history was the subject of exact and detailed prophecy, which was completely fulfilled. Although Isaiah calls Him "a child" (as indeed He was), he saw Him as the divine One whose glory and power is revealed in the magnificent array of names found in verse 6.

"Wonderful," a much abused and misused word, found its real meaning in Him—He really is wonderful in every way. "Counselor!" He does not need or seek the counsel of others—He is the Counselor. Have you sought His counsel? "The Mighty God"—not a mere man, but God unlimited in power. "The Everlasting Father," which is really the "Father of eternity," the One to whom eternity owes its existence. "The Prince of Peace," who will one day bring peace to the earth when He comes to reign; something we need not expect before that blessed day.

Little wonder that "the government shall be upon his shoulders" (v. 6), and that He shall reign on the throne of David forever. That is prophecy yet to be fulfilled, but it will be, even as the others, for "the zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this."

II. His Incarnation and Redemption Completed (John 1:1-4, 10-14).

The Eternal One—who was in the beginning with the Father, He who was God and who made all things, this One who was the life and the light of men—humbled Himself and took upon Himself the likeness of sinful man. He was "made flesh and dwelt among us," revealing the grace and glory of God. The incarnation of Christ is a truth the greatness and glory of which we cannot fully understand; but we know that it was for us that He came—for our redemption.

The world—His own world—received Him not. "But"—and thank God for that blessed "but!"—"as many as received him, to them gave he the power (or better, 'the right,' as in R.V.) to become the children of God." Redemption is by a new birth, a divine birth, "not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man." It is a complete redemption by faith in Him who revealed the grace of God to man. This is the great message of Christmas. Let us not miss it.

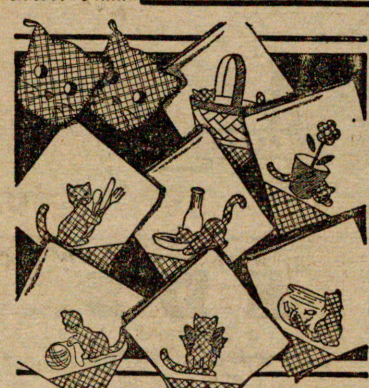
III. His Love and Our Love Manifested (I John 4:9-11).

The love of God has been expressed in many precious ways, but the full and final manifestation was in the sending of His only begotten Son into the world that we might have life through Him. This is love supreme, that God loved us when we did not love Him, the altogether lovely One giving His best and dearest in loving sacrifice for the altogether unlovely ones.

Such love in making the unspeakable gift to us must of necessity call forth from us not only love toward Him, but also for one another. Christmas is an excellent time to deepen and sweeten the love which exists between Christian brethren. We need to be drawn very close to one another for mutual encouragement, strengthening of our faith, and for the effective outreach of Christ's love to the whole world through us.

The eternal, glorious Christ came. He wrought out redemption full and free. He revealed God's great love to us—and to all the world. What a delightful Christmas message that is. Let us receive it and declare it!

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A CALICO cat performs above calico corners for a gay tea towel motif. It's really not a very strenuous week he puts in—asleep behind a flower pot, watching the

Wise and Otherwise

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For Good or Evil

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ASK ME ANOTHER?

A General Quiz

The Questions

1. In British history, what is meant by the star chamber?
2. What is a menage?
3. What name is given to a poem in which the initial letters of the lines, when taken in order, form a word or words?
4. If London bridge should fall down, into what river would it land?
5. What is the plural of the word mongoose?
6. At what is a calligrapher adept?
7. One-fourth of a barrel is called what?

The Answers

1. An ancient high court which sat without a jury.
2. A household.
3. An acrostic.
4. The Thames.
5. Mongooses.
6. Handwriting.
7. A firkin.



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FOR SALE—2 steel laying batteries each holding 24 hens. Will sell one or both. \$15 each, also white table top gasoline range. \$20. Walter Petersen, 79th Ave., Lincoln Estates, phone Frankfort 3212 1c

FOR SALE—Pair ladies white shoe skates, size 5, chromium finish. Sonja Henie style by Nestor Johnson. Price \$6. Phone Mokena 2411 12:26c

FOR RENT—one four room flat hot water heat, soft water under pressure. \$30 with heat. Mrs. Detwiler, Tinley Park. 1c

FOR SALE—Turkeys. Geo. Hasenjaeger, 2 1/2 miles south of Frankfort. Tel. Frankfort 3157 1p

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FOR SALE—Farm wagon and deep well pump complete with jacks. Peter Knobloch, 159th and Central Ave. 1p

Tinley Park News

The Bremen Home Bureau will meet Tuesday, December 23 at 1:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. H. Putnam, 17601 S. 65th Ave. Major topic: Conserve Money and Health by Preventing the common cold by Mrs. Margaret Wortman and Mrs. C. F. Boothe. Minor topic: Decorating Buttercane by Mrs. H. S. Bartholomew. Roll call: My favorite Christmas Cookies., bring recipe.

American Legion Auxiliary
The Unit 615 held their regular business meeting at the Swisher home Friday, December 12. Our Community Service chairman has ten children lined up to take to the Times Christmas party in Harvey, Sunday, December 21. She is also preparing several baskets to be delivered at Christmas to needy families. Our annual Christmas Eve oyster supper will again be served to about 28 hospitalized men at the Orland 40 and 8 camp. This will be the tenth year we are serving this supper at Orland.

Fifty five of our members will be entitled to wear a "Bee" Sooner pin. These are for members who paid up their dues before November 30.

Our next meeting will be December 26. We will have our annual Christmas party at this time and each member may bring a gift. It was decided that at our social meetings each hostess make one of her prizes something suitable for a man in service, the winners of these prizes to send them to one of our boys from the community who is in service.

The Past Presidents met for their Christmas meeting at the home of Frances Rowden Tuesday evening, December 16.

—Erna Wallin, pub. chairman

At the regular business meeting last week Wednesday December 10, the members of the Tinley Park Civic club voted to have the present officers continue in 1942 as follows:

Wesley Stemm, Pres., W. M. Bernardini, Vice pres., H. R. Klann, Sec., H. S. Bartholomew, Treasurer.

The installation is scheduled for January 14, 1942 which the public is invited to attend. In addition to some routine business, a review of the Club's 1941 activities which are being summarized in another column, will be held and suggested activities for 1942 discussed.

Mrs. Harriet Mancke who has been quite ill and confined to bed the past week is somewhat improved.

The St. George Catholic church of Tinley will celebrate a midnight Mass December 24. A special choir has been faithfully practicing Leonard's High Mass in B Flat. The church will open at 11:00 and the congregation will sing Christmas carols from 11:30 to midnight.

TINLEY Ladies Bowling League

TEAM NO. 1

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
T. Enoch	156	133	135	424
M. Miller	124	107	106	337
D. Murphy	102	102	102	306
H. Stricker	113	128	118	359
Handicap	204	204	204	612
Totals	699	674	665	2038

TEAM NO. 4

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
B. Chappell	134	150	149	433

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
I. Samuel	135	142	138	415
L. Niemann	128	145	131	404
N. Mesenbrink	170	149	149	468
Handicap	188	188	188	564
Totals	755	774	755	2284

TEAM NO. 2

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
I. Hick	124	121	124	369
M. Isreal	94	99	127	320
W. Meyer	151	142	118	411
M. Rick	132	107	97	336
Handicap	189	189	189	567
Totals	690	658	655	2003

TEAM NO. 3

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
M. Keup	111	120	138	369
A. Mesenbrink	119	112	110	341
M. Gaspers	66	84	110	260
A. Glogwartz	114	97	103	313
Handicap	221	221	21	663
Totals	631	634	687	1952

The friends and members of Zion Lutheran church are cordially invited to hear "On Wings Of Angel Song" a Christmas Choir Cantata for mixed voices by Ira B. Wilson, Sunday, December 21 at 8 p.m. The Cantata will be presented by Church choir in the Zion Lutheran church in Tinley Park. Mrs. Melvin Rensink is the director of the choir.

The personnel is: Soprano: Mesdames W. Breuninger, A. Bettenhausen, W. Eichelberg, H. Freitag, M. Klepper, F. Mancke, A. Mesenbrink, A. Wagner, Lorraine Funk, Irma Hick, Edna Niemann.

Alto: Mrs. F. Goebel, Mrs. J. Henke, Mrs. G. Hopman, Dolores Henderson, Mrs. H. Mager, Mrs. W. Specht.

Tenor: Walter Breuninger, Alfred Hartwig, Henry Klepper, Henry Oestereich, Bass: Howard Mager, John Rensink, Melvin Rensink, Arthur Wagner. Solo voices: Mrs. W. Eichelberg, Dolores Henderson, Mr. Oestereich, Mr. Breuninger, Mrs. H. Freitag, John Rensink, Mrs. Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wannemacher returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives in North Dakota. Mrs. Paul Rauhoff returned Tuesday from Buffalo, N. Y., where she attended the funeral of her uncle.

The Ladies Aid of the Zion Lutheran church recently held their December meeting and Christmas party. A Christmas tree was a feature. Games were played and gifts were exchanged. Lunch was served. The new officers elected at this meeting are: Mrs. J. C. Funk, President; Mrs. Wm. Funk, Vice-President; Mrs. Fred Goebel, Secretary; Mrs. H. Klepper, Treasurer.

Among those on the sick list are Mrs. H. Hopman, Mrs. Ferd. Hartwig, Miss Fay Hirsch and Mr. Simon.

TINLEY SCHOOL NEWS
The Tinley Park School will hold their Christmas Program Friday evening, December 19 in the school auditorium. Everyone is invited. The program will start at 8 and be as follows:

The Birth of A King. Prelude, "Centique de Noel", Bobby Kosowski, Processional, "Come All Ye Faithful", Choral group.

"Birthday of the King", 1st Tableau: The Seeking Magi, "Fairest Lord Jesus", Glee Club.

2nd Tableau, Angel Hosts, "Angels We Have Heard on High", 3rd Tableau, Shepherds Keeping Watch.

"While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks", 4th Tableau, In the City of David, "Silent Night", Glee Club, 5th Tableau, Presenting Gifts, "We

Three Kings of Orient Are." Finale Part One: Hallelujah Chorus, Glee Club, "Deck the Halls With Boughs of Holly".

English picture, "Deck the Halls" Here We Come A Caroling, God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen, French Picture, Petite Creche, "The First Noel", Bring a Torch, Jeanette, Isabelle, Swedish picture, Feast For the Birds, "Swedish Clap Dance and Song, Dutch picture, Feast of St. Nicholas, "Jolly Old St. Nicholas", Up on the House Tops, Jingle Bells, Band and Entire Choruses. Finale-Part Two.

Arrival of American Santa Claus Cast of Characters: Mary, Jacqueline Elmore, Joseph, David Bagby, Wise Men, Wesley Landau, Danny Boothe, Edw. Mohr. Shepherds, Ted Roth, Homer Hanrahan, Fred Maxwell, Sammy Brenner, Roy Johnson, Fred Helfers and Ray Lucius.

Angels, Barbara Freitag, Shirley O'Neill, Betsy Zimmerman, Norma Bartholomew, June Jobson, Jean Elmore, Dolores Baer, Joan Watson, Janet Hoepfner, Nancy Ringberg, Marilyn Ringberg, Lorraine Mertes, Edith Poddig and Nancy Stover.

Narrator, Jo Annie Schmidt, Accompanist, Gertrude Lucius.

The Glee Club will sing Christmas Carols at the Methodist Church over the Public Address System Tuesday, December 23 at 7:30 p.m.

We wish to take this opportunity to wish every one a Very Merry Christmas from the Tinley Park School.

Tinley Men's Bowling League

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
HICK'S MARKET				
W. Eichelberg	192	174	179	545
M. Keup	139	124	156	419
F. Roecker	172	188	128	488
D. Murphy	132	122	147	401
W. Mesenbrink	126	163	186	475
Handicap	10	10	10	30
Totals	771	781	806	2358

F. GOEBEL INS.

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
W. Breuninger	122	134	102	358
F. Mancke	166	142	101	409
H. Talmage	158	139	189	486
F. Goebel	150	140	135	425
M. Bernardini	157	178	143	478
Handicap	34	34	34	102
Totals	787	767	704	2258

VOGT'S DEPT. STORE

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
R. Semones	149	198	128	475
C. Steinhausen	166	160	167	493
Wm. Mancke	179	124	131	435
H. Breck	194	167	164	527
W. Stemm	182	199	166	547
Handicap	16	16	16	48
Totals	877	866	772	2515

MEL'S SERVICE STATION

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
C. Crist	135	135	135	405
C. Henrich	148	158	149	455
F. Cushman	131	110	109	350
J. Milles	133	130	140	403
C. Kranz	147	150	213	510
Handicap	21	21	21	63
Totals	715	704	767	2186

TINLEY PARK DAIRY

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
W. Goebel	166	187	180	533
A. Ceitham	169	138	132	439
H. Cowen	124	155	124	403
C. James	154	142	154	450
C. Neimann	161	169	168	498
Handicap	19	19	19	57
Totals	793	810	777	2380

INR BEATTY LMBR. CO.

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
H. Mager	122	159	182	463
E. Seimsen	142	200	175	517
A. Andres	164	146	186	496
W. Mager	201	151	170	522
Wm. Rick	150	185	203	538
Handicap	15	15	15	45
Totals	794	856	931	2581

CHUCK'S GRO. and MKT.

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
C. Schanz	184	169	159	512
V. Isreal	172	137	158	467
J. Funk	99	116	93	308
R. Casterline	128	142	181	451
T. Davis	170	171	161	502
Handicap	28	28	28	84
Totals	781	763	780	2324

ENGLISH BROS. GARAGE

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
M. Smith	185	134	203	522
A. Schoeneck	174	125	143	442
N. Schoeneck	157	173	156	486
J. English	144	189	167	500
R. Sundling	150	155	162	467
Handicap	16	16	16	48
Totals	826	792	847	2465

English Bros. Garage won three games from Chuck's Gro. and Mkt., INR Beatty Lmbr. won three games from Tinley Park Dairy. Vogt's Dept. Store, won three games from Mel's Serv. Station. Hick's Mkt. won two and lost one to F. Goebel's Ins.

W. Stemm took high series with 547 while C. Kranz's 213 was good for high game.

TEAM STANDING TO DATE

	Won	Lost	Av.
Vogt's Dept. Store	32	18	779
Tinley Park Dairy	24	21	775
Hick's Mkt.	23	22	786
INR Beatty Lmbr. Co.	21	24	784
Mel's Serv. Sta.	21	24	767
English Bros. Garage	20	25	779
Chuck's Gro. and Mkt.	20	25	762
F. Goebel Ins.	19	26	752

The congregation and friends of Rev. and Mrs. Weinreich are invited to open house December 23 afternoon and evening. They are invited to come and share the 10th anniversary cake.

Mr. Paul H. Rauhoff has been appointed Town Chairman for Tinley Park to head the drive for funds by the Committee for the Celebration of the President's Birthday. The monies raised during this campaign are given to the Infantile Paralysis Foundation. Fifty per cent of this remains with the Cook Co. Chapter for treatment, hospitalization and medical care of local cases, while the other fifty per cent is used by the National Foundation for research work.

With the vast increase in the number of polio cases in Cook Co., it has been necessary for the local Chapter to expend nearly all of the money which was given it from the 1941 campaign. Treatment was given to more than 350 cases in the County during the past year. Whenever hospitalization, therapy treatments or braces were needed, the local Chapter was of utmost importance and requests.

Herbert J. Lorber, Cook Co. chairman announced that he has set the goal during this coming drive at

\$150,000. The Cook County Chapter maintains a permanent office at 166 W. Jackson Blvd. All cases that come to the attention of the office are given immediate aid by competent orthopedic specialists.

Part of the Christmas rush that is not seen by most of us is the enormous increase in telephone calls to other cities. Long Distance telephone traffic throughout the nation is going to skyrocket this Christmas, according to the Illinois Bell Telephone Company. "There will be some delays on these calls in spite of everything that can be done to speed them" the company stated. "Since these are abnormal times, people who wish to extend holiday greetings to distant friends and relatives may avoid the Christmas rush by calling a day or two before or after Christmas this year."

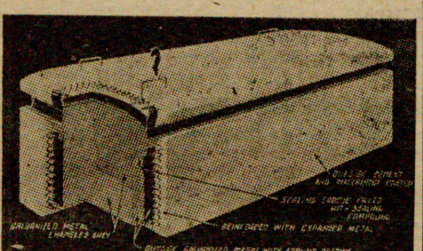
"Last year Long Distance calls to many points were six times normal. "There are hundreds of thousands more men in our military and naval forces this year as well as workers in defense plants who are far from their former localities and who will want to be in touch with families and friends."

"We will have hundreds of extra operators and other extra employees on duty. New facilities have been added and we will have more circuits than before. Telephone people expect to do all that is humanly possible to see that all calls go through. However it is impossible to expand the telephone system to six times its normal capacity for one day in the year and we know some Long Distance Calls will be delayed in spite of all we can do."

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9:30 Sunday School
10:30, Church service

Friday, Senior choir 8 p. m. Saturday, Junior choir 10:30 a. m. Sunday, Dec. 21, 10:30 a. m. Special music and Christmas message by pastor. Primary and Beginners Dept. will rehearse in the church at 2 p.m. for Christmas program.

Christmas Eve, 7:30 program by Sunday School. A Pageant entitled "The Light on the Hill" consisting of a prologue and two acts. The scene is the inn at Bethlehem. The entire school will participate in the service. The Junior Choir having charge of the musical part and the Beginners and Primary Depts. will have the first part of the service.

All the scholars are asked to bring a small gift of a toy or some useful article for the children in the Methodist orphanage at Lake Bluff.

Candle light service Sunday evening, Dec. 28 at 8 p.m. Music by choir.

Watch

ORLAND PARK

The Orland PTA held their regular monthly meeting Thursday evening, in the "Green Room" of the school. Mr. P. G. Rawland, Supt. of Orland Schools had been scheduled to speak on "The Part the modern school is playing in the development of the sense of Individual Responsibility among its students, but unfortunately, due to illness he was unable to be present. Mr. John Betts of the school faculty very capably pinch hit for his absent superior and read a very interesting paper by Paul J. Misner, Supt. of Schools of Glencoe, Ill., entitled "Building a Community School". This paper had been originally presented as an address before the Annual Convention of School Boards in Springfield and in view of the recent formation of our new Community district, contained much information of interest and value to members of our community. It was particularly appropriate that this paper be read by Mr. Betts, because Prof. Misner had been one of his instructors at Northwestern Univ.

Because of the large number of Christmas parties scheduled for the Yule Season and because of the fact that the individual rooms each wished to hold their own parties, the usual PTA Christmas party will not be given this year.

Mrs. Earl Reish, Membership chairman reported a membership of 55, but says that the new quota figures will require at least 20 more members to make us one of the honor associations. So everyone that has neglected to join, should do so.

Following the meeting the members were given an opportunity to inspect the many changes that have been made in the school plant and also to see and examine the many new pieces of equipment. Refreshments were served by Mesdames Wm. McAleer, chairman Ellwood, Lillwitz, Farr, Tappenbeck and J. Rust.

The Blue Spruce tree, recently planted in the school grounds thru the initiative of the Woman's Club will be dedicated Monday evening, December 22 at 7 p.m. The tree will be appropriately decorated with colored lights and everybody is invited to gather around the tree and join in the singing of the Christmas carols which will be part of the program.

Mr. P. G. Rawland Supt. of Orland schools, was confined to his home for several days because of illness but is now back in school.

Watch night services are announced for the Orland Methodist church for New Years Eve. In addition to the devotional services, there will be a social program and refreshments will be served by the Adult Bible Class. Everyone is invited.

Just to remind you that the Christmas party of the WSCS of the Methodist church will be held Thursday afternoon, December 26. A pot luck dinner will be served at 1 p.m. and everyone is requested to bring a 25c value gift for the exchange.

Mrs. S. S. Knox, Red Cross Roll call chairman for the Orland Park unit has reported that \$62.50 has been turned in to the Chicago Chapter as a result of the recent roll call.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nicolai have received a telegram from their son Eldon who is stationed at the Marine Corps base at San Diego, Calif., in which he says that his trip home has been cancelled. "Buck" has been made a non-commissioned officer and is detailed to the training school at the base.

Word has been received from Warren Townsend, who recently enlisted in the Army Air Corps, is stationed at Biloxi, Miss. Warren says they are crowding the work on him and he expects to be transferred any time perhaps to San Antonio, Tex.

Jack Toelle, son of Postmaster Toelle and his cousin Jack Clifford of Chicago have enlisted in the Aeronautical division of the Navy and will report at the Great Lakes Naval Training station next Saturday.

Word has been received that Bill Heiting and Arrian Yunker stationed at Indian Town Gap, Pa., will not be home for Christmas, but expect to spend New Years here.

The American Legion Auxiliary held their regular meeting Friday

evening in Legion Hall. After the business session, refreshments were served keeping with the Christmas spirit.

MARLEY

The result of the annual membership Roll Call for the Marley branch of the Red Cross is: Sixty three enrolled as annual members by paying \$1.00 each, and four contributions under \$1.00. The total amount of money collected was \$64.50. Fifty percent of this remains in the treasury of the Marley Branch and fifty percent goes to support the National Red Cross Service.

The project of making 200 ice bag covers taken by the Marley branch has been completed. The Branch financed the project also. The cost was \$22.80.

There is a drive on for a National War Relief Fund of which the quota for Will County is \$29,000. Anyone wishing to contribute to this through the Marley branch may hand it to Caroline Tilsey, chairman. This will help the Marley branch to get its quota.

The annual Christmas dinner and party of the Marley Woman's Club was held in the home of Mrs. Minnie Blodgett with Mrs. Eliz. Anderson as the assisting hostess, last Thursday.

A delicious dinner was served at noon by the hostesses and their committee. Guests were seated at attractively set quartet tables. Mrs. Cecelia Riley presided over the meeting. Reports were given by the delegate and the Garden chairman. Mrs. Edna Cutler was in charge of the interesting program: "Christmas For Little Children". Mrs. Eleanor Nelson; "Just Christmas", Mrs. Iva Bell, "Before Santa Comes". Mrs. Virginia Sass. Christmas carols were sung by the group accompanied by Mrs. Frances Lauffer at the piano. Entertaining dates were drawn by the members for the coming year. "Chum" gifts were given out and a gift exchange was enjoyed. Mrs. Lila Sievert was in charge of a game and the prize was awarded to Mrs. Frances Lauffer. The hostesses for January are Mrs. Edna Cutler and Mrs. Cecelia Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Harwood Stellwagon had as their dinner guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. John Handorf and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stellwagon.

The Maple Street Arbor of Gleaners will hold a meeting Saturday night December 20 in the Walter Haas home. Election of officers will take place. Ladies please bring cake or sandwiches.

BEAUTY SPECIALS

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spiecker announce the marriage of their daughter Laura to Allan Larson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henning Larson of Chicago. The ceremony took place November 8 at 8:30 p.m. in the Bethany church, Chicago with Rev. Carl Mettling officiating.

Miss Evelyn Cutler spent last Thursday in Chicago.

Mrs. Randall Storm attended the meeting of the Lockport Woman's Club last Friday.

Mrs. Royal Corp and infant son, Roger Lee, returned home from Silver Cross hospital last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gorham and Mr. and Mrs. James Ward of Berrien Springs, Mich., were guests last Tuesday in the Adolph Haley home in Goodings Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bruer of Joliet were entertained last Wednesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Gorham.

Mr. John Kirkham of Lockport, was a dinner guest last Sunday in the Alfred Sproat home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Corp of Plainfield were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Corp.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Vanderbilt attended a party last Saturday night in the home of friends in Aurora.

Geo. Peterson, who has been a medical patient the past week in the

Silver Cross hospital returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lauffer, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Lauffer and son Charles and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lahmann were guests at dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holm in Goodings Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Peterson and family of Chicago were guests Sunday in the Geo. Peterson home.

Mrs. Eliza Eaton and Rudy Lubec of Elwood and Orval Cleveland spent Sunday in the Clayton Cleveland home.

Edw. Marshall was a guest Sunday in the home of Mrs. Madge Storm.

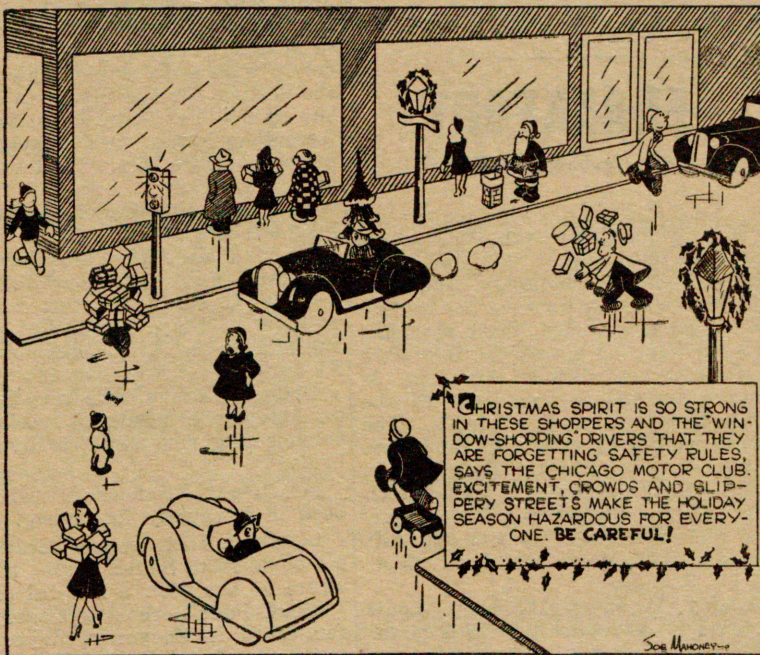
Mr. and Mrs. Loren Sass and daughter Cheryl were dinner guests Sunday in the Louis Sass home.

A Christmas program will be given in the Marley Community Church Christmas Eve. Mrs. Francis Nelson, Mrs. Edw. Sproat and Mrs. Everett Bell are the directors. There will be group singing, recitations and a play entitled, "The Book of Christmas" to be given by the Sunday School.

Members of the Sunday Evening Club will furnish music for the play. Clarence Storm of Great Falls, Mont., a former resident, visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alp. Kohl will entertain the Saturday night pinocle club this Saturday night. Will be a Christmas exchange party.

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The answer is voiced in a song—a glorious hymn that will be heard from virile young throats singing in praise of Him in whom reposes mankind's steadfast hope in this dark hour of the world's history.

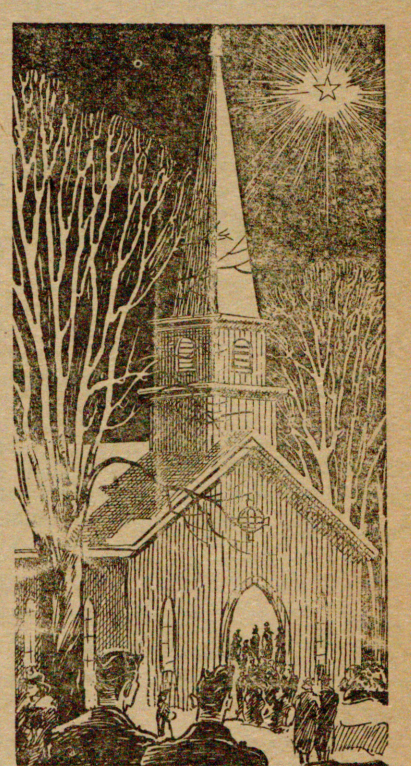
The hymn, a favorite of the American soldier and of his forebears in arms since colonial campfires, "O Come, All Ye Faithful," will be sung in 200 new Army chapels where this year Christmas services will be held for the first time.

In his spiritual life, Army chaplains declare, the citizen soldier finds the closest tie linking military duties with the cherished customs of his home. Especially among young men from the farming communities and the towns and smaller cities the observance of Christmas in the camps will not be unlike the programs in churches throughout the land where friends and neighbors assemble for the Christmas festival. In Army chapels the same midnight services will be held, the youthful worshiper will join in the same inspiring music, he will hear again the same messages of hope, the same fervent prayers for peace and good will.

During Yuletide the singing of familiar carols will enliven the camps, not only in the training areas at home but the same music of cheer and comfort will echo from the cliffs of Iceland and the wastes of Greenland as well as among the tropic shores of Trinidad, Guiana, and the Orient.

For the Chief of Chaplains has announced the distribution of the new Army and Navy Hymnal, a book containing the best in sacred themes, subdivided for Protestant, Catholic, and Jewish forms of worship. Special visitations will be made to the hospitals. Neither will the inmates of the guardhouse be overlooked.

All will share the spirit of Christmas. At this season the 1,626 chaplains in our Army take stock of their efforts through the year, and the Chief of Chaplains advises the Chief of Staff as well as the home folks that most encouraging progress has been made for the spiritual well-being of the troops. Where 11,640,000 soldiers attended religious services during the last fiscal year with an average of 97.8 persons at each service, it is



pointed out that there is now a much larger participation and a corresponding increase in the ministrations of holy sacraments.

Said a veteran chaplain: "The tradition established by those pioneer soldiers who bowed in prayer on the eve of Bunker Hill and in the storm-swept camps at Valley Forge is still alive in the hearts of America's defenders in arms."



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The St. Jude's Woman's Club held their regular monthly meeting and annual Christmas party, Tuesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Ehrlich. Mrs. Lester Brown, Mrs. Edw. Ferlinger and Mrs. Will Hafka were the assisting hostesses. Cards, and buncos were played following the meeting and prizes were awarded. Refreshments were served. Table decorations were carried out in the Christmas colors of green and red. A gift exchange took place.

St. Jude's parish will hold a Christmas Party and Program in the New Lenox school auditorium, Sunday night, December 28. Everyone is welcome. A very interesting program is being planned and master of ceremonies for the affair will be none other than the old stand-by, the fellow that can make everyone laugh, good old Jack Madden from Joliet. Refreshments will also be served.

Mrs. Edw. Berens was appointed Chairman of the "dramatics". Mrs. Howard Porter and Miss Margaret Formento, in charge of the music, Albert Latz, Ralph Stuckel and Max Ehrlich in charge of the electric, carpentry and stage settings. Mrs. Ray Reiter and Miss Marie Doll are on the games committee and Mrs. John Riley and Mrs. John Guilden-zoph, the transportation committee.

Mr. H. Leser of Joliet will be the award Sunday night at the St. Jude's CYO card party in the school auditorium.

Mrs. Edw. Berens was hostess in her home December 8 at a Stork shower honoring her sister Mrs. Larry Surges.

A buffet luncheon was served. The honored guest was presented with many lovely baby gifts. Guests were: Mesdames Fred Brooks, Lester Brown, James Hayes, Edw. Osmus, Edmund Knowles, Albert Latz and Evelyn Hokenwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kersten entertained their pinochle club in their home Saturday night. Refreshments were served. The group will meet next at the Lester Browns.

Mrs. A. W. Walsh who has been ill in her home is able to be out again. Miss Velva Frantz of Chicago spent the weekend with the Hubert Ewing family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Anderson and daughter Dorothy Jean visited Thursday night in Lockport with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ruettiger and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas May and Mr. and Mrs. Bud May and children of Champlain visited here Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Walsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Beightler and Mrs. Samuel Meyers and family of Chicago visited here Sunday with friends.

Miss Mary Theresa Sherwood and Miss Beatrice Walsh spent Saturday in Chicago.

The New Lenox Garden club held its annual Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Fred Scheel Tuesday afternoon. A short business session was conducted by the president after which games were played and gifts exchanged. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Howard Porter and Mrs. John Spuehler. Mrs. B. R. Aman will entertain at the January meeting.

Christmas services will be held in the Grace Episcopal church December 21 at 7:30 o'clock. The Rev. Albert Olson will be in charge. There will be a Christmas tree and gifts for all the children.

A Christmas Cantata, "The Heavenly Message" will be presented in the Sanctuary of the Methodist Church December 21 at 8:15 o'clock. A candle lighting service will precede the singing of the Cantata. Mrs. B. R. Aman is directing the Christmas Choir. A fellowship night has been planned for December 22. A pot luck supper will be served in the church dining room at 6:15 o'clock to be followed by a Christmas program by the Church school classes. Boys of the intermediate class will serve as ushers at all services after which an hour of fellowship will be enjoyed in the dining room.

Gifts will also be exchanged upon Santa's arrival and candy will be distributed. Those who do not participate in the pot luck supper are urged to attend the other services.

The New Lenox Woman's Club

held its annual Christmas party Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Anthony Vackar. Mrs. A. R. Kercheval and Mrs. Geo. Morris were co-hostesses. A pot luck dinner was served at noon. Mrs. Geo. Koeller and her committee had charge of the very interesting program that was presented. Mrs. Wm. Kay had charge of the business session. A gift exchange took place.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hausser opened their home last Monday night to the December meeting of the CYO of St. Jude's Catholic church. Francis Berens, president, conducted the business meeting.

Refreshments were served following the meeting by Mrs. Hausser. Walter Marshal underwent a major operation in Silver Cross hospital recently.

D. T. Walker underwent a major operation in the Mayo Brothers Clinic at Rochester, Minn. Wednesday of last week.

Barbara, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Papke is quarantined in her home with scarlet fever.

The Royal Neighbors held their annual Christmas party and election of officers at their December meeting last week in the home of Mrs. Josephine Sayers.

A pot luck dinner was served at 12:30. Following the business session the election of officers was held as follows: Oracle, Mrs. Edith Sayers; Vice Oracle, Mrs. Lena Lorenz; Past Oracle, Mrs. Myrtle Alexander; Chancellor, Mrs. Mary Wilson; Recorder, Mrs. Merna Seivert; Receiver, Mrs. Agnes Aman; Marshall, Mrs. Evelyn Moore; Assistant Marshall, Mrs. Margaret Snyder; Inner Sentinel, Mrs. Josephine Sayers; Outer Sentinel, Mrs. Mary Marshall; Manager, Mrs. Anna Bethel; Flag bearer, Mrs. Hattie Pugh. Following the election a Christmas party was enjoyed and gifts were exchanged.

David Lockwood who has spent the past three weeks in Jacksonville, Florida, expects to return home in time to spend the holiday season with his daughters, Mrs. Marion Carlson and Mrs. John Clyde. After the holidays he will spend the balance of the winter in California with friends and relatives.

Private Henry Engel who was to have arrived home for the Christmas holidays Sunday morning from Fort Benning, Georgia, where he has been stationed, had his leave cancelled. His parents, and Miss Lois Miller received a telegram from him saying that he has left Fort Benning and his destination is unknown. Henry was all ready to leave for home, had purchased his train ticket and sent his clothes on ahead, when his leave was cancelled.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Drake entertained their pinochle club in their home Saturday night. The Frank Vally's will entertain the group next at a New Year's party.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Scherpe of Chicago spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Irving Jensen and family.

The Jensen family annual Christmas party was held at the Storm & Jensen home Sunday with Mrs. Irving Jensen and Mrs. Ben Scherpe as hostesses. A seven course turkey dinner was served at one o'clock with 21 guests present, at two long tables that were decorated in red and green carrying out the Xmas color scheme. Both tables were centered with large bowls of fruit, with candelabra at either end. Individual nut cups decorated each place. The afternoon was spent in playing games, and prizes were awarded. A

Christmas gift exchange took place. Supper was served at six o'clock. Mrs. Harry Storms at the piano, Alfred Bethel at the drums, John Jensen, triangle, and Harry Storms and Robert Stephens with their mouth harps entertained with several musical selections. Following this pinochle was played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Robert Stephens, Mrs. Alfred Bethel and Mrs. Gus Osmus. John Jensen, Alfred Bethel and Gus Osmus who also received the traveling prize. Light refreshments were served. Mrs. Sydney Batson and Mrs. Alfred Bethel were chosen hostesses for next year. Guests present included Mr. and Mrs. Gus Osmus, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Batson, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Storms, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Jensen and family, all of New Lenox; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stephens of Frankfort; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Scherpe of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. John Jensen, Miss Betty Jane Jensen and Robert Klint of Joliet.

Mrs. Thomas Cruise received a telegram Thursday from her husband Private Thomas Cruise who has been stationed at Camp Callen, San Diego, California, that his leave to come home for Xmas has been cancelled and he has been transferred to Fort Ward, Washington.

Mrs. Cruise was planning a trip to San Diego for a visit with her husband until his transfer came. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rowswell and son and Mrs. Sarah Rowswell were guests Sunday of the Arthur Rowswell family.

FRANKFORT

Mrs. Herbert Kohlhaugen

Mrs. Anna Kampe was the honored guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Folkers Wednesday, December 10. The occasion was the celebration of her 82nd birthday that she had the privilege of observing December 9. Despite her advanced age she is very active and does not seem to be that old to her many friends. The guests at dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kampe of Chicago Heights, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Heusser and Warren Wm. Kampe and Wilma, Ben Mager, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Mager and Allan, Miss Ann Mauer and Dora Weiland.

Friday, December 12 Mrs. Louis Krusemark observed her 79th birthday. During the afternoon and evening many relatives and friends came to her home to congratulate her and wish her many more years of health and happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kohlhaugen visited in Clinton, Iowa with their children Dr. and Mrs. Chas. Waggoner during last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Folkers and Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Warning attended the County meeting of Rural Carriers December 12 in Lockport.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Folkers attended a Christmas party of Rural Carriers Association in Huntley, Ill., December 13.

The Frankfort Post office will have one mail service Christmas Day and it will close at 9:30 a.m.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church are giving a Christmas service, "The Pageant of Light" Sunday, December 21 at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited.

The Sunday School of St. Peter's Evang. church are presenting the pageant, "Christmas Giving" December 24. This is given by all from

Beginners class to Confirmation age. The Frankfort Public School will have their Christmas program Friday December 19 and school will then close until January 5.

The Frankfort Basketball teams played Homewood in the local gym last Sunday and Homewood defeated the lights by 32 to 23 and the Frankfort heavies won by 40 to 37.

Next Sunday, December 21 the Rendal's team of Joliet will play the lights and Gratz Motors of Joliet will play the heavies in the local gym at 2:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Groth were taken by surprise December 14 when they came to the Frankfort gymnasium where they were to attend a dance. The neighbors had made the plans to celebrate their 20th wedding anniversary which they celebrated December 17. Relatives and friends were present from all the neighboring vicinity and all enjoyed a pleasant social evening and wished the couple many more years together.

Mrs. Henry Lühring, Mrs. Wm. Deist and daughters Betty and Lorraine, Mrs. Henry Hossbach, Mrs. Herbert Minger, Mrs. Eugene Hinspeter and Miss Mabel Block attended the miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Mildred Hinspeter of Joliet December 11 in the Colonial tea room of Joliet. Miss Hinspeter will become the bride of James Hamilton December 30.

Last Friday Miss Marian Hossbach and Georgia Mitchell honored Mrs. Everett Nissen in the Mitchell home with a miscellaneous shower. The home was beautifully decorated in pink and blue. A parol of these colors with a decorated chair formed the setting for the bride in which she opened her many beautiful gifts. Aeroplane bunco was played with prizes going to Mrs. Walter Keuch and Mrs. Seaman. Duplicate prizes were given the bride. A delicious luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hasenjaeger and Marjorie and Russell Kohlhaugen were among the guests attending the wedding of Floyd Krapf and Orpha Ruthenbeck in Joliet December 12. Floyd is the son of Chas. Krapf.

Delbert Seaman, who was hurt in an automobile accident recently is convalescing very satisfactorily in his home.

Mr. Henry Eisenbrandt who has been ill is rapidly improving.

Lawrence Dietrich has returned to his home from Silver Cross hospital where he has been a medical patient. Lieut. Paul Gerhold left last week for camp in Cheyenne, Wyo. Word has come from Pvt. Virgil Lorenzen that he has been transferred from Texas to Mississippi. Mrs. Homer Smith talked with her son Raymond by phone last Friday in a California camp. He is to be moved also.

Lincoln Estates

Dorothy Fedak

Helen Hamay and her friend James Delaney of Chicago visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hermanek, Sunday.

Donna McLean has been ill. She missed several days of school.

Dorothy Sluiter attended a birthday party in Oak Forest Saturday. The party was held for Jeanette Mumford by her mother.

Rose Sluiter was visiting in Chicago Heights at the home of the Georges for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher and family were visiting in the Lincoln Estates during the week.

Carlene Kluth spent Friday in Chicago.

The Mission Circle of Calvary Baptist church met at the Dionne home. Mrs. Wiedefelt brought a message on "The Birth of Jesus" using the flannel board method. It was very interesting. A social time was enjoyed after the meeting.

Several ladies of the Mission Circle met at the Niedringhaus home on Friday afternoon to sew sheets for

the Clinburg Orphanage. After the sheets were finished, they celebrated the birthday of Mrs. Letts. A good time was had by all.

Mrs. Sluiter, Dorothy and Bob visited with the former's daughter-in-law and infant baby at Evergreen Park Sunday.

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Following through for the Yuletide on their "Shaves for the Boys" campaign, a group of New York's most glamorous society girls, have asked me to tell you ladies about the kind of gifts they are sending the boys in camp.

In line with their campaign to provide the minor necessities not distributed by the Government to trainees, "Shaves for the Boys" Committees in New York and Hollywood are reminding the public to send utilitarian gifts, particularly shaving creams, razor blades and after-shaves lotions, which rank high in every survey of trainees' list of wants, as do tooth-pastes and tooth-brushes.

The "Shaves for the Boys" Committee was founded by the society girls who, hearing a radio program in which the sponsor offered to match civilian purchases with comparable shaving essential gifts to the boys in camps, decided to inaugurate a national campaign to obtain an avalanche of free neces-



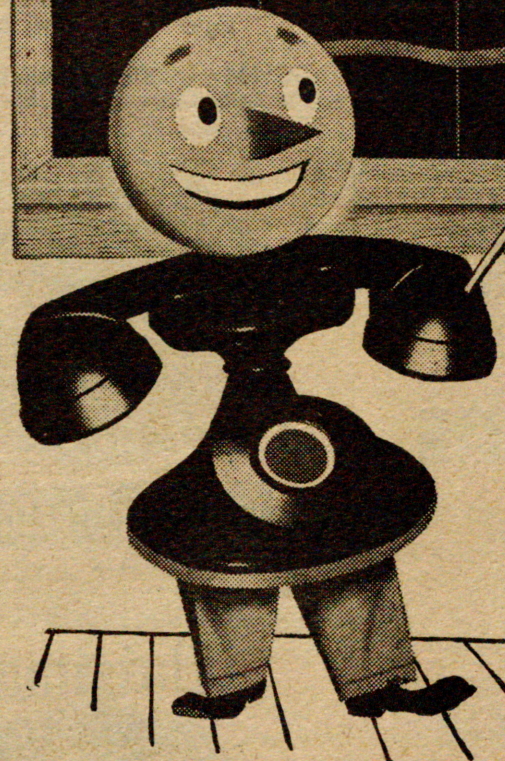
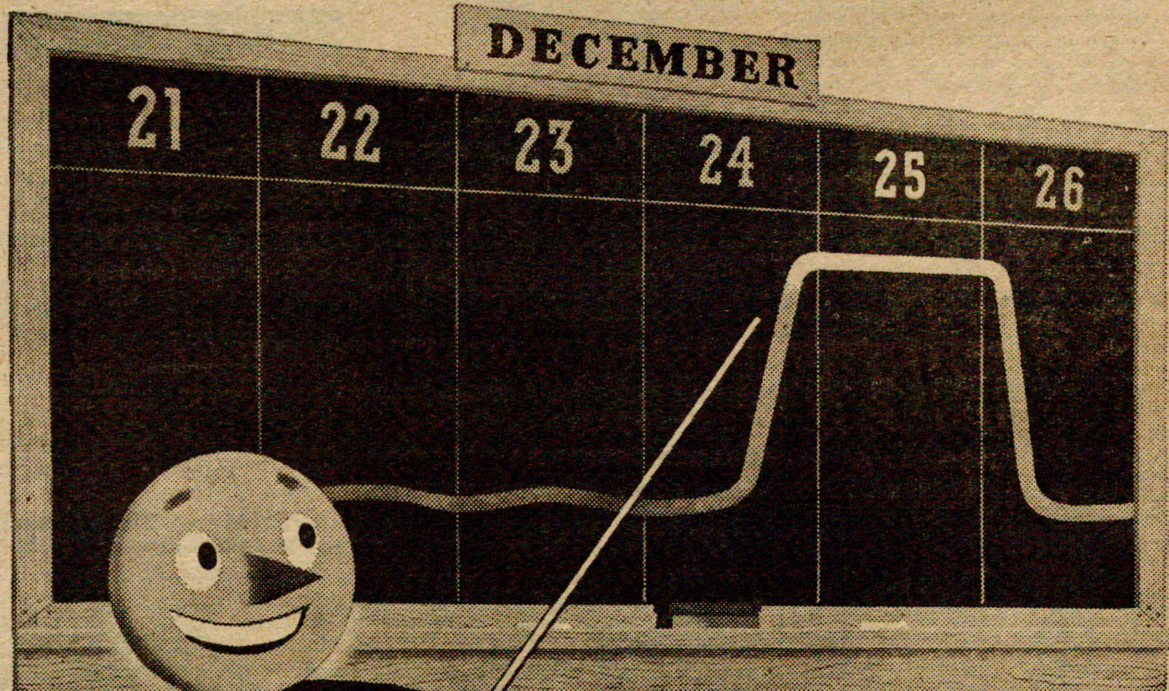
Here Are Some of the Things the Boys Prefer

sities that ordinarily would put a dent in the selectee's meager paycheck.

When sending practical gifts to the lads, it should be kept in mind that regulation service kits call for compactness. So brushless shave tubes are preferable. Then, too, the brushless shave, which has a cold cream base, eliminates the need for after shave lotion.

The servicemen appreciate skin freshener, too, but this luxury usually is reserved for the camp and not maneuvers in the field.

The men in the armed forces should be remembered by the gals keeping the home fires burning. We're convinced that duty is more than skin deep—when you make it pleasant dancing cheek to cheek.

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HOMER

By MRS. FRED KOPELMAN

A wedding of much interest to Homer people was that of Miss Ada Dollinger, daughter of Mrs. Wm. Dollinger and Ronald Liff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Waldmir Liff of Lockport.

The wedding was solemnized Saturday evening in the rectory of St. John's church. The Rev. C. A. Knur performing the double ring ceremony.

The bride was beautiful in a floor length gown of delphinium blue transparent velvet with hat to match. Her corsage was of white roses and sweet peas. Miss Lillian, her sister acted as maid of honor and wore a floor length gown of wine transparent velvet with matching hat.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Sievert tea room in Joliet for approximately 100 guests. A buffet supper was served from a table centered with a large wedding cake. Miss Helen Parker poured and was assisted by the Misses June and Jean Timm.

The Good Luck camp of Royal Neighbors will hold its Christmas party December 18 in the home of Mrs. John Donahue. Mrs. Anna Welter will be the assisting hostess. Election of officers will be held and a twenty five cent gift exchange will feature.

Mr. Herman Krohn Sr. is in a critical condition at the home of his son Herman.

The Tri County meeting of the Gleaner Life Ins. Co. was held Tuesday night in Foss Gleaner Hall. Election of officers was held and Mrs. Alfred Sprout of the Maple Street Arbor was elected lecturer. An interesting program followed the election after which dancing was enjoyed and refreshments served.

Wednesday, forty members and guests of the Homer Woman's Club gathered at the home of Mrs. Angelo Depra for the annual Christmas party. Mesdames Guy Bump, Fred Trask and Fred Kopelman were assisting hostesses. At 12.30 a delicious dinner was served at quartet tables, attractively decorated with red and green as were also the rooms in which it was served.

Following the dinner, the pres. Miss Myra Reed called the meeting to order and the salute to the flag was given. Mrs. Adam Markeiwisz, chairman, presented the following program: Christmas Message by Mrs. Fred Trask; Music for Children by Mrs. Ben Brankay; Panama and Central America by Mrs. H. Parker. Musical game was won by Mrs. Marion White and Mrs. Everett Dempsey.

Another game was won by Mrs. G. L. Reed. Santa Claus then arrived and distributed the gifts from a

heavily laden tree.

The January hostesses will be Mrs. Emma West and Mrs. Bertha Loucks the place to be announced later.

The Dramatic Club meeting which was to have been held with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Anderson Tuesday evening, has been postponed until the first Tuesday evening in January. At this time an election of officers will be held.

Miss June Milton has been detained from her duties in the Texas Oil Refinery's Office by illness.

Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ingersoll, Jr. opened their home in Lockport to friends in honor of their father, B. F. Ingersoll Sr.'s birthday anniversary. Bunco was played and refreshments served.

Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reiter, the George Gilberts, the Henry Miller's, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Konow and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ingersoll.

Sunday morning the Ladies Missionary Society had charge of the Homer church services.

The Junior Choir sang, Mr. Marion Burnett of Chicago gave a short address, Mrs. C. G. Rowley and Willard Rowley sang several numbers, as a dedication service of the lighted Cross which the society presented to the church.

Next Sunday morning Sunday school will be at 10 o'clock. The children will practice then for the Christmas service. In the evening the congregation will attend a moving picture at the Lockport Congregational church instead of the usual evening service here.

The Homer Sunday School and pupils of the Wells Corner school will present a program at the church on Christmas eve. The public is invited.

The adults choir practice for Christmas eve will be held at the church Friday night at 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vogler of Chicago were guests Sunday afternoon in the Otto Konow home.

The Community Club party which was scheduled for Friday night, December 26 has been postponed until January.

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1. An impregnable defense for our nation.

2. Avoidance of involvement in the European and Asiatic war.

Our principles were right. No good purpose can be served by considering what might have been had our objectives been attained.

On Sunday, December 7, 1941 Japan launched an attack upon us.

On Monday, December 8, 1941, Congress declared war on Japan.

December 11, 1941, Congress declared war on Germany and Italy.

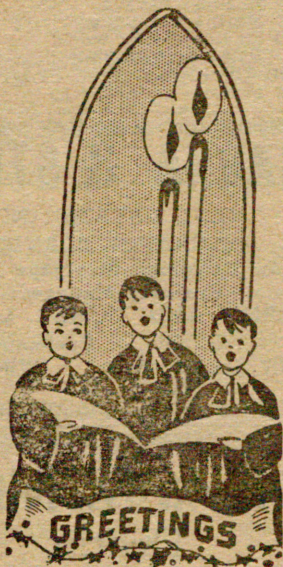
There is no longer any question about our involvement in the conflict in Europe and Asia. We are at war. Today, though there may be many important subsidiary considerations, the primary objective is not difficult to state. It can be completely defined in one word—victory.

While the executive branch of the government will take charge of the

prosecution of the war, the fundamental rights of American citizens under our Constitution and Bill of Rights must be respected. The long range aims and policies of our country must be determined by the people through Congress. We hope that secret treaties committing America to imperialistic aims or vast burdens in other parts of the world shall be scrupulously avoided to the end that this nation shall become the champion of a just and lasting peace.

The period of democratic debate on the issue of entering the war is over; the time for military action is here. Therefore, the America First Committee has determined immediately to cease all functions and dissolve as soon as that can be legally done. And finally, it urges all those who have followed its lead to give their full support to the war effort of the nation, until peace is attained.

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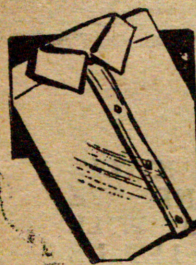
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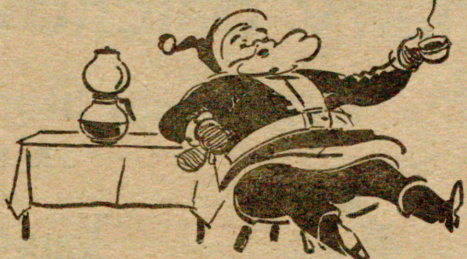


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Merry Christmas to all of you from all of us.

Robert Spreitzer

RECORDER OF DEEDS, WILL COUNTY

PALOS PARK

By DOROTHY ROBSON

Tragedy struck Palos Park again when Edwin R. Landin, a salesman for the Youngstown Sheet and Tube company was killed when he drove his car into the rear of a parked truck at Southwest Highway and Springfield avenue. He was 45 years old and lived at 124th and 82nd avenue.

The truck had been left on the edge of the pavement by A. F. O'Hara of St. Louis, Mo., after it had developed motor trouble. O'Hara told police he had left the truck to telephone for help.

Mr. Landin leaves to mourn his death, his wife and three children, Claudia, Joyce and Judith, his mother Hulda Landin two brothers, Har-Edith Osterberg. One son, Edwin Jr. and Arthur and one sister Mrs. preceded him in death. Services were held Tuesday at 2:30 from the home with burial in Mount Hope cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Strand spent a few days last week visiting their relatives in Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powell were entertained at supper in Blue Island by Mrs. Powell's sister, Mrs. O. Thomas on Thursday night.

Mrs. Frank Yunker and daughter-in-law, Eunice enjoyed a luncheon at the Palos Community Church last week.

The Red Cross Work Class held their regular meeting Monday at the Village Hall.

A lot of stray dogs have been showing up in Palos Park this past week. People from the city come and drop them along the road, and the dog wanders around looking for his master. Why don't they take them to the Pond and have them disposed of and not leave them run wild and go mad from lack of food and water. If you see anyone dropping any animal along the road, get their license number if possible and call Mrs. Emily Keen in Palos and she will tell you what to do.

Mrs. O. Thomas was entertained to a chicken dinner at the home of the Weir family on Thursday.

The Girl Scouts held their regular meeting Monday afternoon at the Village hall.

Mrs. Gordon Powell and Gordon and Beverly spent Saturday in the Loop. This is the first time the children have been downtown, so they were thrilled by the beautiful sights that are so common to us.

Dorothy Robson sang on Rubins' Amateur Hour Sunday night. She wishes to thank all her friends for voting for her and hopes that she is one of the lucky winners.

The Boy Scouts held their regular meeting Tuesday night at the Village Hall with Scoutmaster Irving Pronger in charge.

Mrs. Frank Yunker and Irving Pronger attended an accordion concert in the Morton High school in Cicero Sunday afternoon.

One of the featured artists was Mrs. Yunker's nephew, Junior Robson of Chicago.

The annual Christmas party of the Palos Woman's Club will be held at 1:30 Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Frank Itzel is arranging a program of Christmas Carols. The club president Mrs. Joel L. Collins will head a committee of hostesses composed of Mesdames: M. S. Sorley, C. R. Brick, J. W. Mahaffay and C. H. Retzke.

Next week is to be a full one at the Community Center Foundation. You are cordially invited to help out with the festivities. Reservations should be made at the Foundation. Sunday the 21st, starting at 3 p.m., will be spent decorating the Christmas tree and the Lodge. Tuesday at 8 p.m. Christmas Carols will be sung, a hayrack or bob-sled ride through the village and refreshments served at the lodge. The Yule Log will be brought in to the fireplace and the fire started, into which will go all the hatred, the problems and the troubles of the past year. Wednesday at 8 p.m. a fireside Christmas evening service will be held, and on Thursday the Foundation family will gather for its Christmas. In the evening a fireside fellowship service of Joy and Thanksgiving will be held, to which all are invited.

MOKENA

Mrs. Lillie Cooper returned Tuesday from a three week's visit with relatives in Florida.

The Eno 500 club was entertained by Mrs. John W. Falsch in her home Wednesday afternoon.

Clifford Mahoney was in Silver Cross hospital two days this week for observation. He is much improved.

The Woman's Bowling team of Mokena which bowls each Tuesday evening at Wish's Recreation in New Lenox is progressing nicely.

Elmer Sippel who has been ill with stomach flu has recovered.

Mrs. R. Hensel who has been ill in her home was removed to Silver Cross hospital Monday.

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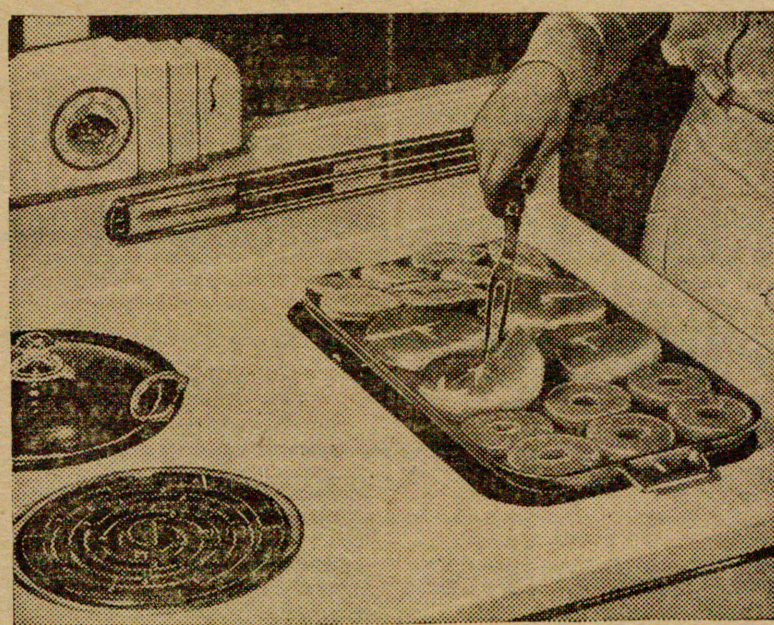
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Here's a menu for a griddle dinner that can be prepared in 15 minutes time:

Griddle Fried Ham
Sautéed Sweet Potatoes and Pineapple Slices
Crisp Green Salad

Rolls
Ginger Creams
Beverage

Boil the potatoes in their jackets the day before you plan to use them. Then peel, and cut in halves lengthwise. Preheat both units under the griddle on High for about 3 minutes. Grease the griddle generously with ham fat or butter,

and arrange potato halves and ham slices on it. Turn switch to low, and cook until the ham is ready to turn. Then add pineapple slices and continue cooking.

No matter what feature of your electric range you use for your summer meals—oven, broiler, cooker, surface units, or griddle—you'll find that electric cookery is clean and cool; no uncomfortable hours standing over a hot stove, when you cook electrically, and no disagreeable scrubbing and scouring to clean up utensils and the range.

For a simple dessert for summer menus, or to serve with frosty fruit drinks, you'll like these spicy Ginger Creams.

Ginger Creams
(Makes 3 dozen 1½-inch squares)

½ cup shortening
2 tablespoons sugar
2 cups flour
¼ teaspoon soda
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon ginger
1 cup dark molasses
1 egg (separated)
1 cup boiling water

Cream shortening and sugar together. Sift flour, soda, salt and ginger and blend with the creamed mixture, using a pastry blender or a fork. Add molasses and egg yolk, and beat well. Then add boiling water, gradually, and beat well. Fold in stiffly beaten egg white. Spread batter in greased jelly roll pan (about 11 x 16 inches) and bake in a moderately hot oven with the electric thermostat set at 375°, for approximately 18 minutes. Cool, and frost with boiled icing or confectioner's sugar icing. Cut in squares.

MOKENA SCHOOL NEWS

Primary—The Primary room and Intermediate room are making preparations for the Christmas program to be given the evening of December 23 at 8 o'clock. They will give a play "The Empty Stocking Elf."

Intermediate—The pupils of the Intermediate room have been busy making gifts. Many pupils have been sick with colds which caused many absences but the attendance is improving.

Junior High—Raymond McGuire brought a fine map to school Monday which helped us locate the areas active in the war against the U. S.

Richard Needham has been absent from school for two weeks. We hope he will be back with us soon.

High School—The Student Council has been busy selling tuberculosis pins. Robert McGregor gave a short talk in each room on why we should buy the pins and help fight this dread disease. \$5.97 was raised.

Mokena played Martinson Friday night. Grade lost 21-11, but the High school team won 19-15. January 9 the teams will play Manhattan at Manhattan. First game starts at 7:30.

Ed. Schmaedeke

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7:05 Musical Interludes

7:15 Morning Devotions

7:30 Breakfast Bulletins—Local News

7:45 Sunrise Roundup

8:05 Time, Tunes & Topics

9:05 Serenade—Let's Sing A Song

9:45 Wilmington On the Air

—Norton Newcourt

10:15 WPA Symphony

10:30 Refreshment time with Singin' Sam.

10:45 Christmas tree program

11:05 Youth in the news.

11:15 Women In Defense—

(Gladys Arbeter Erickson)

11:30 Christmas Tree Program

11:45 Facts and fashions

12:00 Noonday bandstand

12:15 Local news (Jim Mitchell)

12:30 Sports & sportsmen Bob Philbin

12:35 Dial Times of the Air

Elizabeth Welles

12:45 Man on the street (Bob Allen)

1:05 Your Community Reporter

Ted Blair

1:15 Soldier's mail bag

1:30 Biddy Bucks auction program

2:05 Request revue

3:05 Matinee melodies

3:30 Music of the world

3:45 PTA (Wednesday)

4:00 Christmas Tree Program

4:15 Parade of progress

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5:30 Bing Crosby song time
5:45 Christmas Tree Program
6:00 Sports Review —Bob Philbin
6:15 Christmas tree program
6:30 Inquiring reporter (Tom Allen)
6:45 Bowling roundup (Bob Allen)
7:05 Farm program (Ted Blair)
7:30 Symphonetta
8:05 The seventeenth period (Wed.)
9:00 Polish-American hour (remote)
9:30 Ballroom of the skies
10:05 Sign off

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

9:00 First Baptist Church
9:30 St. John's Church (remote)
10:30 Rondoliers Octet
10:45 St. Peter's Church (remote)
12:00 Noonday varieties
12:15 Highlights of weeks news
12:30 Polish Amateur hour remote
1:30 Symphonie Hour
2:00 Hour of Memory—Rem.
3:00 Kankakee is on the air
4:05 Rudy Deitchman orchestra (remote)
4:30 Ave Maria hour
5:00 Young People's hour
5:30 Pied Piper, Jr. presents
6:00 Polish-American hour (remote)

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TINLEY PARK CIVIC CLUB
ACTIVITIES REVIEWED

(continued from first page)

"At the March meeting Mr. Harp-er introduced a resolution directed to the Rock Island R.R., contents of which were essentially a reference to and expression of appreciation of the improvements made to the rail road crossings about town, particularly that of Oak Park Ave., and a suggestion was contained therein that the local depot be replaced with a modern building. The resolution was most enthusiastically accepted by the meeting.

"At the April meeting President Wesley Stemm presented and unfolded a plan to further enliven the activities of the Club, that members should give talks at the business meetings on subjects of their own choosing. Mr. Leo Lawrence elaborated further on the idea, and he was designated to deliver the initial talk. At every subsequent meeting addresses on a great variety of subjects were presented by members, and each of the speakers delivered his interestingly in his own way.

"During the latter part of April the Club presented two evenings of entertainment to the town in the form of a variety program called "A Night in Radio". While the attendance, admittedly, did not turn out as anticipated, the show was not a financial loss since the expenses were just about cleared.

"In 1940 the Civic Club sponsored the "Air Cadets Corps" for a group of youngsters of the town who showed interest in the making and flying of model airplanes. While the interest shown was overwhelming at the beginning, it subsided in time and in May, 1941 the Club decided this activity be discontinued because of lack of interest. This chapter could not be considered closed without mentioning that one of the Corps' former members, Eugene Wesolowski, Gene in Chuck's Market, is now actively engaged in solo flying in training planes and preparing himself for the defense of our country.

"There was another venture that proved more successful, however. The Civic Club recognized the need for additional facilities for the youngsters of Tinley Park to occupy their spare time constructively, and organized and sponsored Boy Scout troop No. 55. The troop was at the beginning headed by Mr. Louis Standee. But because of the national defense efforts he had to relinquish his scoutmastership, and the splendid work that he started has been taken up by Mr. Harold Zobac.

"Post 615 of the American Legion staged their annual Carnival during the latter part of August. The Civic Club rented a booth and did its share in presenting amusement to the visitors of the Carnival. Some of the Club members put in strenuous hours at the booth by giving unselfishly of their time; the money cleared was to be used for the good of the community in various ways.

"The first opportunity was not long in waiting, and the Civic Club's membership appropriated money for the purchase of a Scale and Linen so that a Child Health Station, initiated by community spirited citizens of the town, under the leadership of Mrs. Frank Mancke, could be started. By virtually approving such a Health Station, the Health Council of Chicago asked the Club's opinion whether such a station should be local or township wide. The Club considered a local unit more appropriate.

"At the October meeting it was decided that the Civic Club sponsor again a Christmas party for the children of the local school as it has during the past few years, and the Club was to co-operate with the local School Board under the same provisions previously followed.

"The Tinley Park Athletic Club was represented at the October meeting. The spokesman explained that organization's aims particularly as far as the younger generation of the town is concerned; and in order to carry through their program of planned activities, the Civic Club was requested to assist them financially towards the purchase of uniforms so that the boys could practice their games properly attired. The Civic Club consented to foot the bill.

"In reviewing and summarizing the Tinley Park Civic Club's activities of 1941, it should be a feeling of gratification to every member of the Club that each and every one has done his share in expressing his community spirit and civic mindedness by serving his fellow citizens of Tinley Park in a number of ways, and helping to make Tinley Park a still nicer place in which to live.

"There is a great deal of work to be done, and the Tinley Park Civic Club will attempt to show the way by marching on in 1942!"

Tinley Park Civic Club, Inc.,
H. R. Klann, Secretary.

GREETINGS
TO ALL OUR FRIENDS

AMONG the most cherished remembrances of the past year are the pleasant relationships we have enjoyed with the people of this community.

To old friends, to new friends, and to friends-to-be we extend the season's greetings. May all of you experience the choicest blessings of the Christmas season.

GEO. SCHREIBER
Tinley Park, Ill.

December Important
Month In Rock
Island History

Like most of Midland America's pioneer railroads, the Rock Island came into being as a co-operating unit with the waterway traffic of the Mississippi System. The founders meeting on Rock Island in 1845 modestly envisioned a railroad reaching thence southeastward to tap the traffic of the Illinois River at La Salle, Illinois, head of the steamboat navigation. Two years later, under the special act of the Illinois legislature, this company incorporated under the name of the "Rock Island & La Salle Railroad" and named Judge James Grant of Davenport, Iowa, its first president.

That was an era which had just witnessed a great boom in "wildcat" railroad planning. The State of Illinois some years before had ambitiously embarked on a state-owned railroad construction spree in which various lines were to crisscross the state, serving as feeders for the river traffic. That had ended disastrously. Had it been carried to its planned consummation, the state's treasury would have had to go on crutches.

But this meeting on the island of Rock Island was a very different matter! Here were solid, substantial, farseeing men of proven stability, ready to invest their dollars and their efforts in the construction of the new "Rock Island & La Salle."

In 1849, however, before actual construction had got under way, something happened which jolted the incorporators of the new road into a sudden revealing awareness. Gold! Gold had been discovered in California! At once it came to them that they had within their grasp an instrument of travel and transport of far greater potential importance than they had at first dreamed. All at once the various experimental and disjointed efforts at railroad building from the East to reach the Great Lakes, and from the Great Lakes to reach the Mississippi, seemed suddenly to assume a unity of purpose and vision. The West—the great unknown West beyond the Mississippi—was opening up! Chicago at the foot of Lake Michigan, so lately a frontier trading post, overnight loomed large as a potential railway center—a gateway to that great Western region beyond which lay the Pacific.

Already from the East, three railway lines were building toward Chicago. Knowing that these lines, on reaching that goal, would need connections extending on beyond, the Rock Island & La Salle incorporators hastily changed the name of their road to the "Chicago and Rock Island." Henceforth the center of its activity would be Chicago. At once they sent Henry Farnum, a keen New England engineer and contractor who had built railroads in the East, on a "horseback survey" of a direct line from Chicago straight across Illinois to the Mississippi River. Returning, Farnum reported that direct route to be the ideal location for a rail line. Plans for bringing the idea to an actuality at once took place.

At an historic meeting of the stockholders, held in the old Tremont House in Chicago, December 22, 1851, new officers were selected. John B. Jervis became president. James Grant stepped into the vice-presidency. The others were: N. D. Elwood, secretary; Azariah Flagg, treasurer; William Jervis, chief engineer.

That was in December. Actual construction had already begun. Down at 22nd Street in Chicago, Farnum and his men were even then pushing the Rock Island's new road bed out across the prairies. Impending winter didn't in the least deter them. From England came rails by ship to New York—17,000 tons of them—relayed thence by Erie canal and the Great Lakes to be unloaded on the job. From the forest lands where Evanston, Illinois now stands, came the cross-ties in lumber schooners. An army of laborers greded and grubbed away on the new pathway for the iron horse.

The indefatigable Farnum, realizing

Mokena Methodist Sunday School
Program

Friday Evening, December 19

PRELUDE	Christmas Medley Overture
PROCESSIONAL	"Hark The Herald Angels Sing"
HYMN	"Come Thou Almighty King" Congregation
PRAYER	
SCRIPTURE LESSON	
BEGINNERS CLASS	Miss Lydia Baudrey, teacher
CHORUS	"O Come All Ye Faithful"
PRIMARY CLASS	Mrs. Roy Erdman, teacher
CHORUS	"O Little Town of Bethlehem"
OFFERING	
OFFERTORY	"While Angels Sing"
SOLO, Patricia Bennett	"Star of The East"
PRESENTATION OF OFFERING	
CHORUS	"Away In A Manger"
PRIMARY CLASS	Mrs. Hugo Neithammer, teacher
CHORUS	"We Three Kings Of Orient Are"
JUNIOR CLASS	Miss Adeline Semmler, teacher
Piano Solo, "Ticklin' Toes", Dorothy Kohl.	
"Christmas Carol", entire class	
Piano Solo, "Two Guitars and Silent Night", Carol Benson.	
CHORUS	"There's A Song In The Air"
INTERMEDIATE CLASS	Mrs. T. A. Shoop, teacher
"Christmas Bells", Norma Jean Hostert.	
"Christmas Tonight" by Phillips Brooks, Carol Reihn.	
"Christmas" by Susan Collidge, Marion Sizer.	
CHORUS	"Joy To The World"
PRESENTATION OF AWARDS	
HYMN	"Silent Night Holy Night" by Congregation
BENEDICTION	
POSTLUDE	"It Came Upon The Midnight Clear"

was raging in the East with some roads building their tracks 7 feet wide, some 6, and some less—decided to follow the lead of George Stephenson, the English inventor, and build his new track to a 4 foot 8½ inch gauge. That was the width between axles, of the easy-riding English stagecoach and time had proven it most satisfactory. So the Rock Island adopted it.

That width in time became the American standard gauge in general use all over the country—an arrangement which today permits the switching and transfer of cars between all lines.

Step by step, mile by mile, over swampy prairie, mud creek and thru tangled forest, to the Des Plaines River (which Farnum bridged with a trestle), to Joliet, the steel gang following the graders. That was the way the Rock Island was built while the dwellers along the way waited impatiently for the trains to come and transform their isolated habitats into communities in touch with the outside world.

Service to Joliet—all the way from Chicago, forty miles, in two hours!—began in 1852. The first little six-car train, pulled by the original "Rocket" engine (with a bulge smokestack and 4' 6" drivers) made its initial run on October 10, that year. The entire rolling stock of the Rock Island then consisted of those six cars, three engines, forty freight cars; but more were on order—many more!

To Morris, to LaSalle (which the fathers of the road had once imagined would be their eastern terminus) to Peru, to Bureau, to Moline! Then, on February 22, 1854, Farnum's builders brought their tracks into the heart of the town of Rock Island, Illinois. And in celebration of the great event special trains were run, the press clarified the event,

ex-President Millard Fillmore and Charles A. Dana, New York publisher, joined the throng which traveled out to Rock Island in gala mood and made appropriate speeches.

(The above article is a portion taken from a very interesting little historical folder entitled "A Marvel of the Midland" which was sent out recently with the new 1942 Rock Island calendar.)

FRANKFORT

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brandau, Frankfort from their son Edwin. He is safe and sound at Fort Presidio, San Francisco, Cal., and that the sailing of the boat has been postponed. He writes there is a lot of excitement due to the air raid alarms on the West Coast and that he is on 24 hour guard in San Francisco.

Two hours on guard, four hours off, alternating through the entire 24 hours. He was to sail Monday for the Philippines he thought so it was quite a narrow escape for those who were to go.

Reports on the West coast are there are quite a number of American troops in the Philippines and well supplied with fighting equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Brandau thought Edwin was on the Pacific at the time of the attack on his way to the Philippines.

Edwin was drafted in August and had been stationed at Camp Roberts, Cal. His many friends are glad to hear that he is safe.

A group of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brandau Friday evening, December 12 to congratulate them and remind them it was just 25 years ago when they were the happy newly wed bride and groom. During the evening Mrs. Thos. Cooper of Orland Park gave two appropriate readings in their honor. After pleasant hours which sped away too fast, the assembled guests partook of a delicious luncheon with the honored bride cutting a beautiful wedding cake which had been especially provided for the occasion. The assembled guests presented the happy couple with beautiful gifts in keeping with their anniversary, departing for their homes expressing their earnest desire that at least 25 more years would be the portion of the honored couple when another even happier celebration would be held.

MOKENA

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this opportunity of thanking my friends in Mokena for the fine patronage and support accorded me during my connection with the Mokena State Bank as its cashier. Both Mrs. Bartel and I appreciate the many warm friendships made during our residence in Mokena and will always highly prize them.

OTTO A. BARTEL

The Ladies Guild of the St. John Evangelical church held their December meeting in the church parlors Thursday afternoon. A Christmas gift exchange was a feature of the party.

M. and Mrs. Don C. Halal have gone to Mississippi City to spend the winter.

Hirsch's Tavern has been made right up-to-date with the installation of new electrical refrigeration and cooling units and the addition of a special room for card parties or for special functions. The new addition is attractively furnished and can be turned into a private room if needed. The entire place has been thoroughly modernized.

ALPINE

Chas. Doctor is the proud owner of a new Ford super de lux.

The nice weather has enabled the combining of soy beans the past week in this section.

Mrs. Henry Tilsy, Ralph, James and Dorothy were guests in the Everett Creer home Wednesday.

Chas. Tilsy was a dinner guest at the Henry Tilsy home Tuesday.

The smallest calf, weighing only 42 pounds at birth, was born on the Arthur Lauffer farm recently and was bought by Henry Tilsy.

Stock for Sale

FOR SALE—Choice dairy cows, both fresh and springers of all breeds and are those good northern kind that will do good here. Also several good stock hogs. H. F. Yunker, on Harlem Ave., between 135th and 131st st. 1ap

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HEARTY GREETINGS!

It's Christmas... the season of genial fellowship and good will when men draw together in ties of common brotherhood. In this season of good will it is time to reckon the finer profits that cannot be posted on the ledgers... the best time in the entire calendar to express our appreciation of the many evidences of your friendship.

To you and to those whose happiness is linked with yours we send our heartiest wishes for the merriest Christmas ever!

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Tinley Park, Ill.

HOLIDAY GREETINGS

CHRISTMAS in "the good old days" knew no bounds of joyousness. It is particularly gratifying to us that we number among our steady customers many who have been loyal since "the good old days."

To all of these, to all who have made our friendship since, and to all who read this message, we wish that good old-fashioned kind of Christmas which comes to mind when we think of "the good old days."

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HOLIDAY GREETINGS TO ONE AND ALL

Like a Gentle Benevolence, the Christmas spirit overspreads the land, and none can escape its magic spell. No better time than this universal season of good will to tell you how greatly we appreciate the good

will you have shown us during the past year. We list your friendship among our most precious assets, and will leave nothing undone to merit still further your full and complete confidence.

Ring out wild bells, 'tis Christmas! Merry Christmas to all and a Happy New Year, and, as Tiny Tim observed, God bless us all—everyone!

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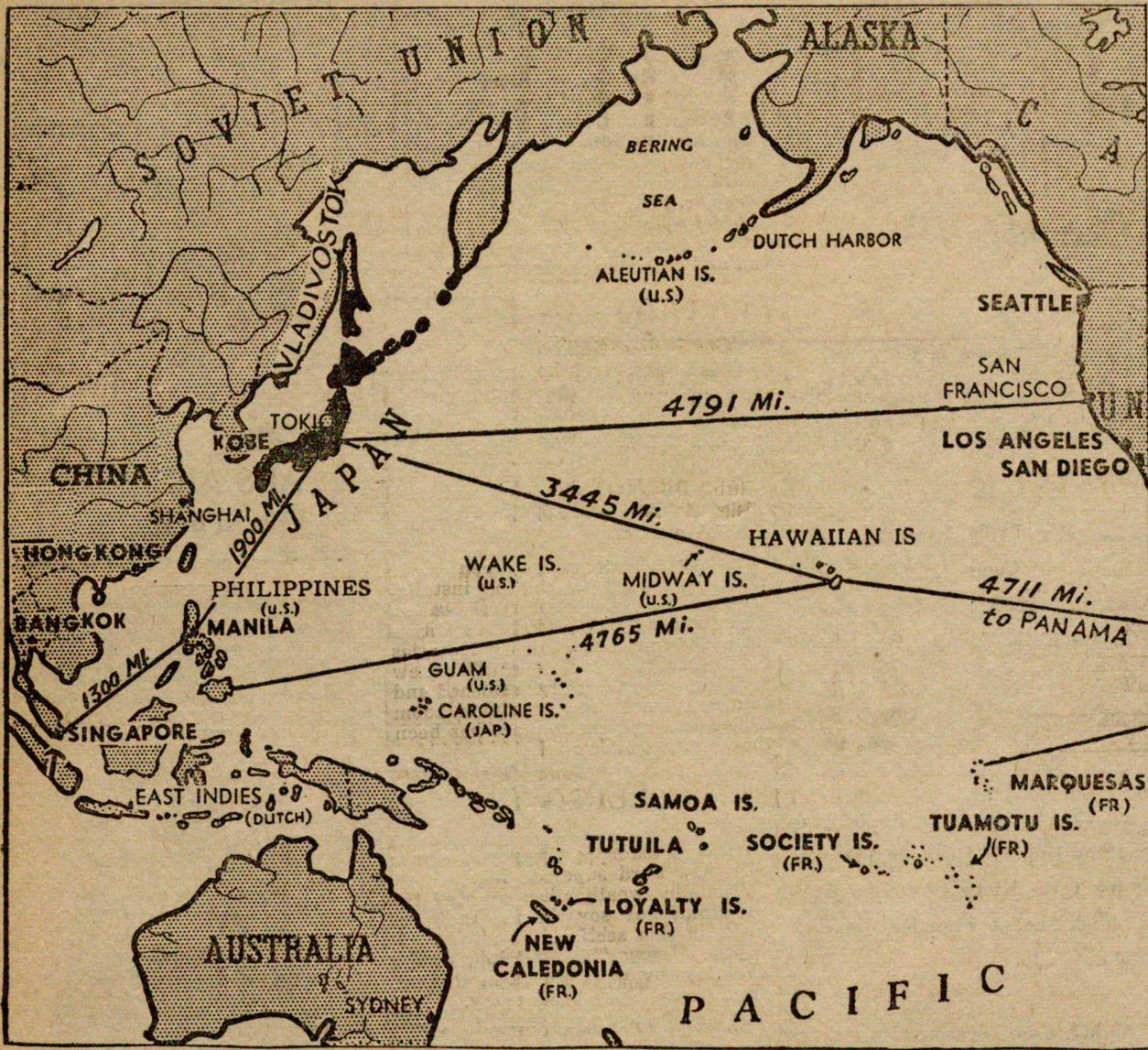
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CHOICE PACKAGED LIQUOR FOR THE HOLIDAYS. ALL POPULAR BRANDS. PLACE YOUR ORDER TODAY.

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Theater of War Between U. S. and Japan



Here in graphic detail is shown the location of strategic points in the war between Japan and the United States. Distances between important points now in the headlines are also shown. Of particular interest are the following points: the Russian port of Vladivostok and its nearness to Japan, which would make it an ideal air base in a bombing raid campaign on the enemy; the Hawaiian islands where at Pearl Harbor the Japanese opened their war on the United States with a devastating aerial attack; the most vulnerable sector of the continental United States to Japan attack—the Pacific coast area.

How Navies of Warring Nations Compare

	BATTLESHIPS	AIRCRAFT CARRIERS	CRUISERS	DESTROYERS	SUBMARINES
UNITED STATES	17	7	37	170	113
GREAT BRITAIN	16	4	62	219	48
JAPAN	10	6	39	119	66
GERMANY	6	1	4	20 to 50	125
ITALY	5		20	123	105

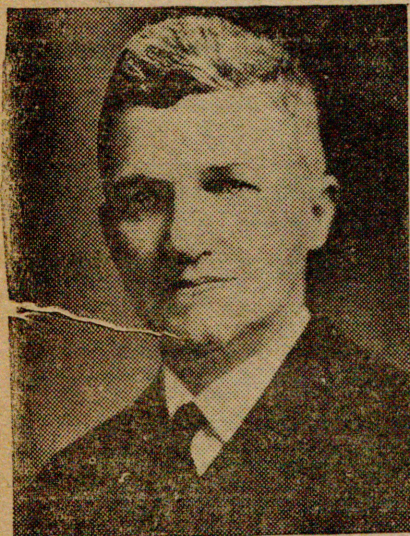
This chart shows the naval strength of the Axis and Allied navies. Latest figures available are shown.

Heads Pacific Fleet



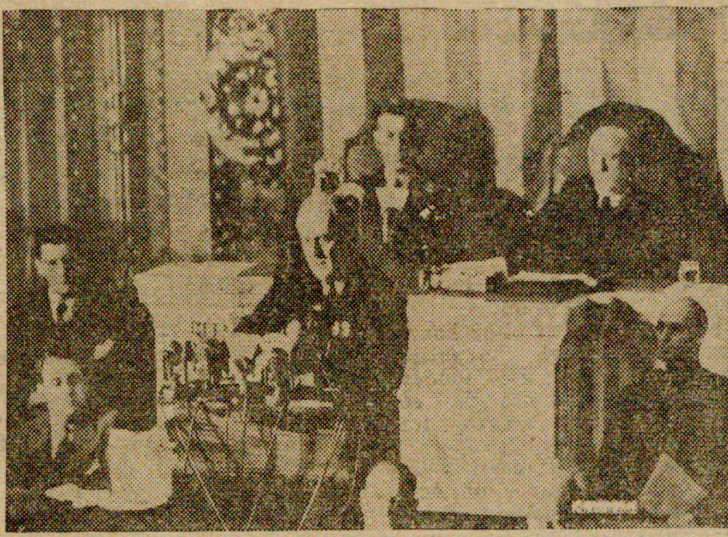
The American fleet in the Pacific is under the command of Admiral Husband Edward Kimmel, 59, who took over command of the Pacific fleet and also of the entire U. S. fleet last February 1.

In Asiatic Waters



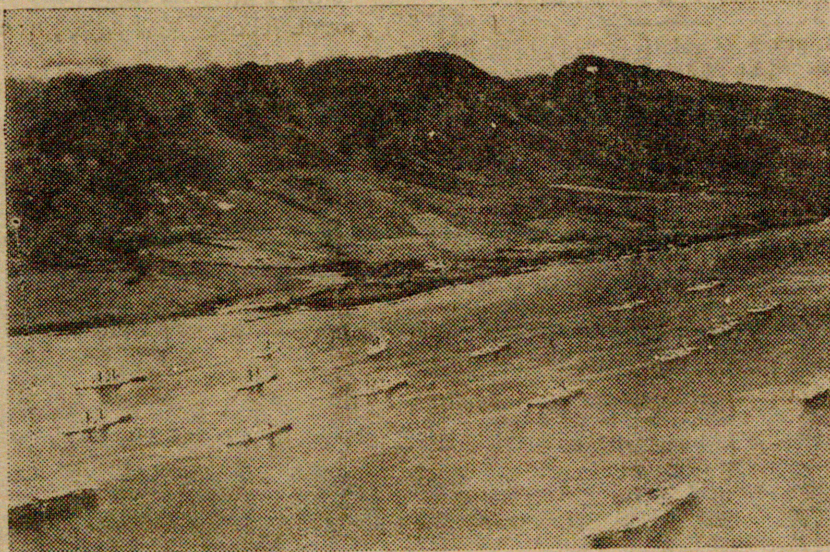
Admiral Thomas C. Hart, 64, who commands the U. S. Asiatic fleet.

As President Asked War Declaration

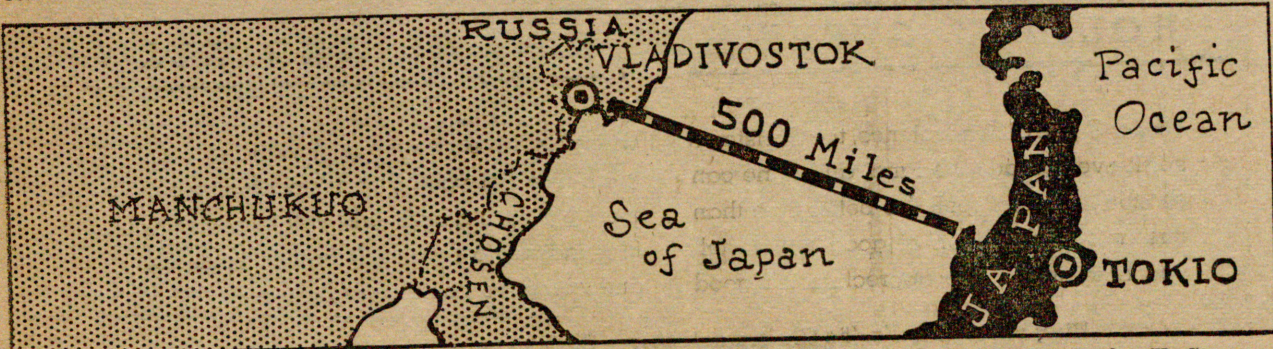


President Franklin D. Roosevelt addressing the joint session of congress, when he asked congress to declare a state of war against Japan. Congress passed the declaration 33 minutes after FDR's speech.

U. S. Fleet Off Coast of Hawaii



A splendid view of units of the United States fleet at anchor in Lahaina roads, Hawaii, near the scene of the unprovoked attack by Japanese bombers at a Sunday's dawn.



In bombing raids on Japan, Russia's port of Vladivostok would make an ideal air base for U. S.

NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Reviewed by
CARTER FIELD

Interference With Law Of Supply and Demand Results in Headaches ... Reorganization Looms for SPAB ...

(Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.)

WASHINGTON. — Many theoretical gentlemen, who were confident until just recently, that they knew all the answers, are finding out that when government interferes with the old law of supply and demand the result is headaches.

Never have better illustrations of this been manifest than in the "Big Brother" activities of the government, aimed at protecting the public from the dire consequences which would result from the national defense effort. Price control, for instance, and civilian supply.

To see the picture more clearly it is necessary to imagine what would happen if the government went ahead full steam with its defense spending and commandeering, but paid no attention to the effects on ordinary non-defense business. It is never so simple as for the government to want all of something. That would leave no problem. But when there is some left over after the national defense needs have been served—how to divide that leftover?

Even in some cases where the government wants practically all there is difficulty. For instance, take copper. Copper has been used very liberally in making lipstick containers. After it has been processed for this use it is of little use for anything else. Recovering the copper so as to make it fit for something else would be too expensive. Not that the government cares anything about expense, but the process of getting the pure copper out of the alloy used for lipstick containers would require too much labor.

So—there is agreement in the government that such copper as already has been worked into this alloy for lipstick containers may be used for that purpose.

Not So Simple

Simple? By no means. The trouble is that the Smith company has enough such metal on hand, already worked, and ready to be fabricated into lipstick containers, to run it until say June 1. Whereas the Jones company, its strongest competitor, has enough to run it only until February 1. To permit this situation to exist would give the Smith company an unfair advantage over the Jones company.

If this produces a headache with respect to copper, it is a thousand times worse with respect to steel. The government has said flatly that no more copper after January 1 shall be used for non-defense purposes—except such copper as is already made unfit for defense use (economically) as described.

But there is no such drastic decision about steel. As a matter of fact there will be some steel left over, despite the pessimistic predictions of many New Dealers, even if defense use of steel exceeds the present most optimistic forecasts—not enough steel to go around, of course, but SOME.

What to do about that SOME! Under the old law of supply and demand; if the government kept its hands off, it would be simple. The price of steel would skyrocket. The buyers willing to pay the highest prices would get it all. Every user of steel who could use substitutes would do it anyhow, to save money for his concern. So the surplus steel (that is, surplus above defense needs) would go only into uses for which it was very necessary.

But that might result in hardship on the financially less fortunate consumers. The price of steel in civilian goods would be boosted out of all proportion to the real value of steel.

Trouble? You said it.

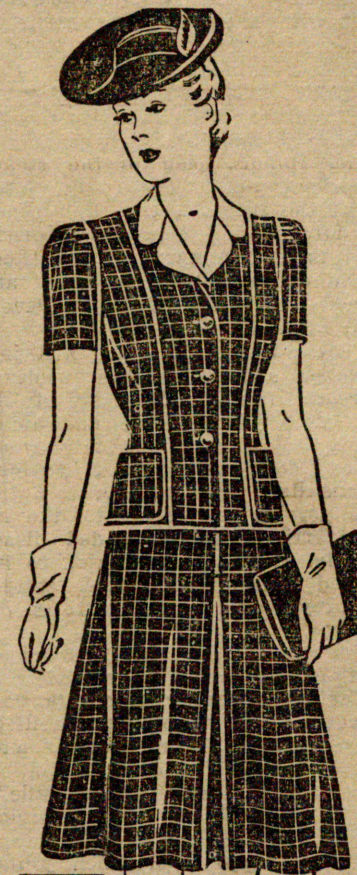
Reorganization Of 'Super' SPAB?

Don Nelson's SPAB is likely to be revamped in the near future. Just what form the new super-super body is to take no one knows. All that is known for certain is that President Roosevelt is giving all the usual signs which forerun one of his big reorganizations to end all reorganizations.

Nelson is not the technical head of SPAB. That honor goes to Vice President Henry A. Wallace. Nelson is not the man on SPAB who is closest to the President. That distinction without argument belongs to Harry Hopkins.

But since Wallace is the heir apparent to the "Chief" and in all probability will be nominated for President by the Democrats in 1944 unless F.D.R. wants a fourth term (in which event nothing would help him anyhow) it would seem that Wallace's only motive would be to have SPAB, and indeed everything involved in the administration, succeed. Failure of Roosevelt in his national defense program would be a black eye for Wallace as well as for Roosevelt. It might easily result in knocking Wallace off the track he is now riding—a track that leads straight to the White House.

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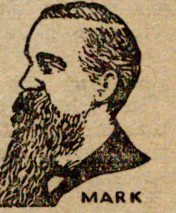
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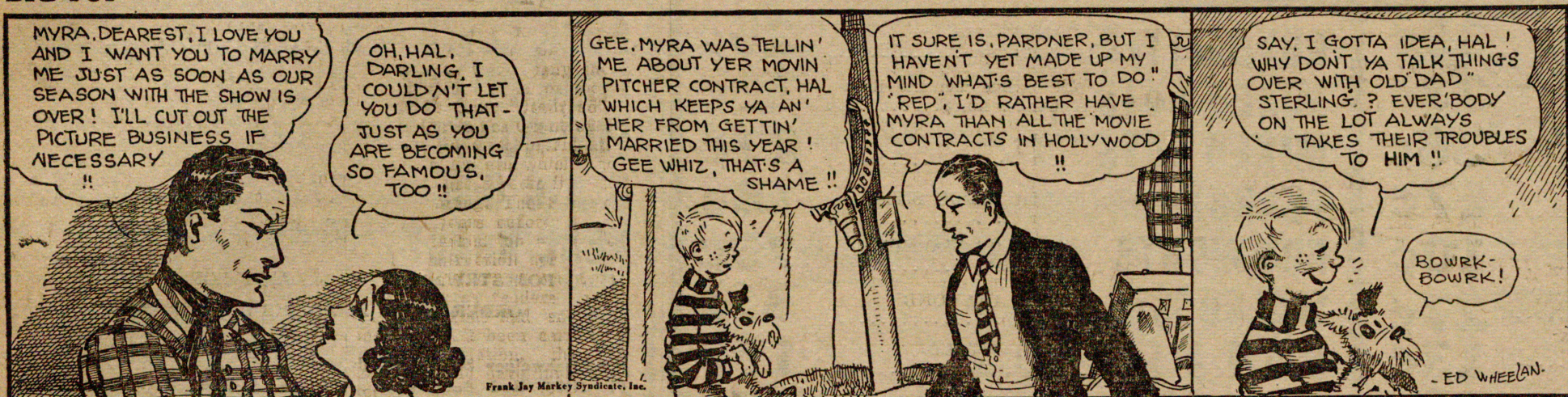
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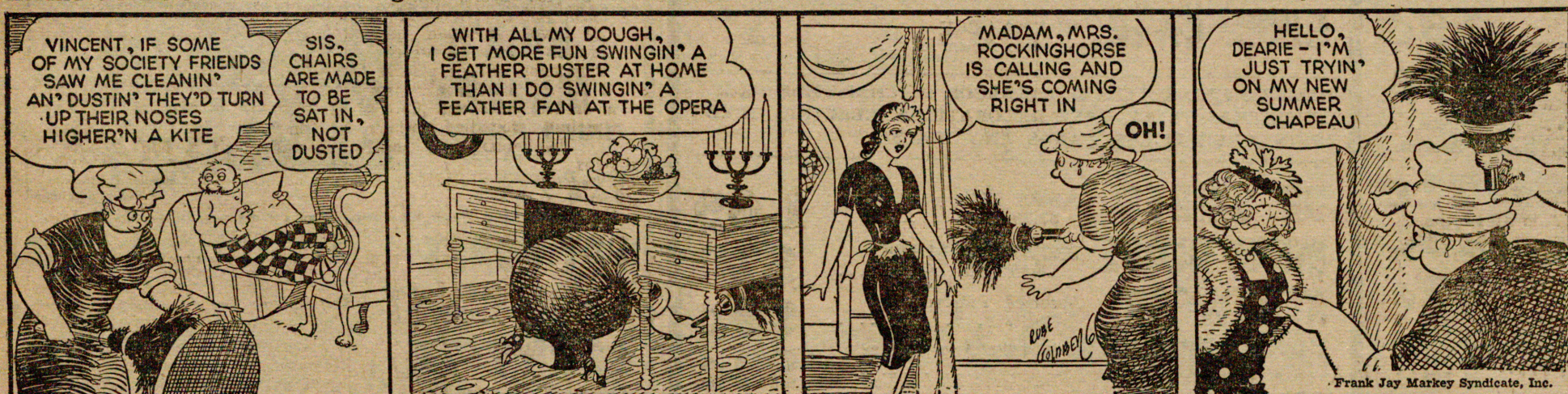
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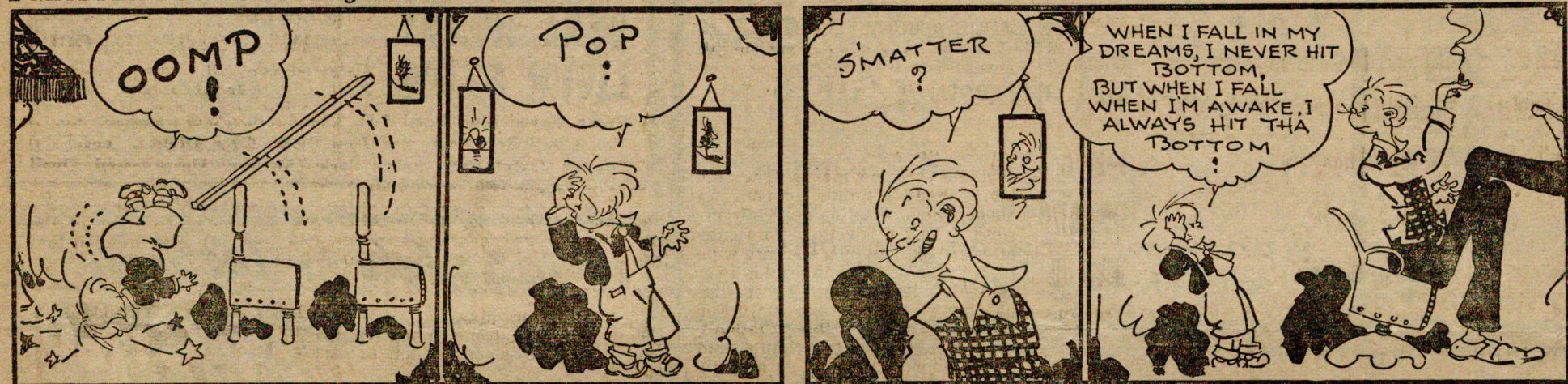
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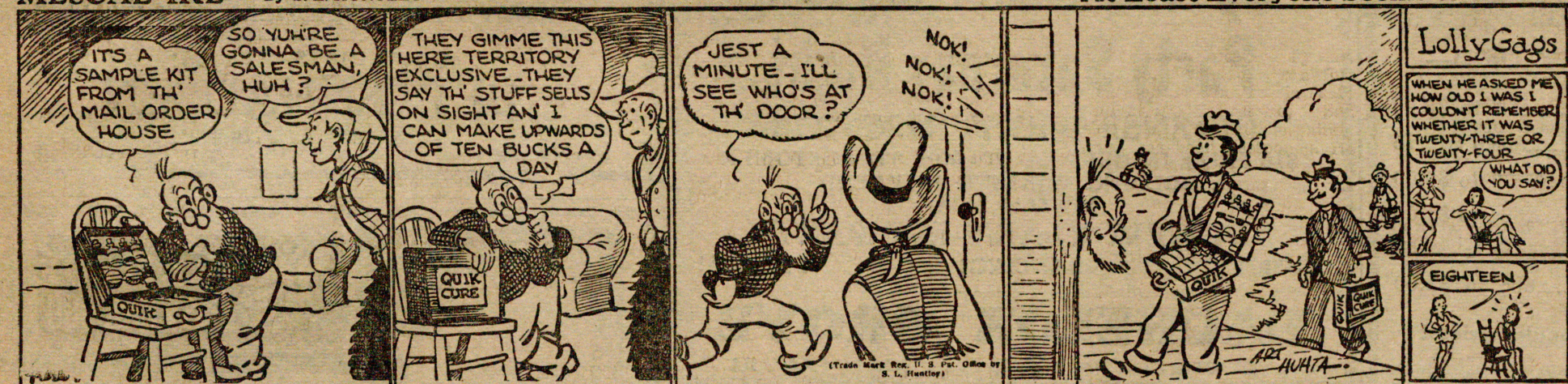
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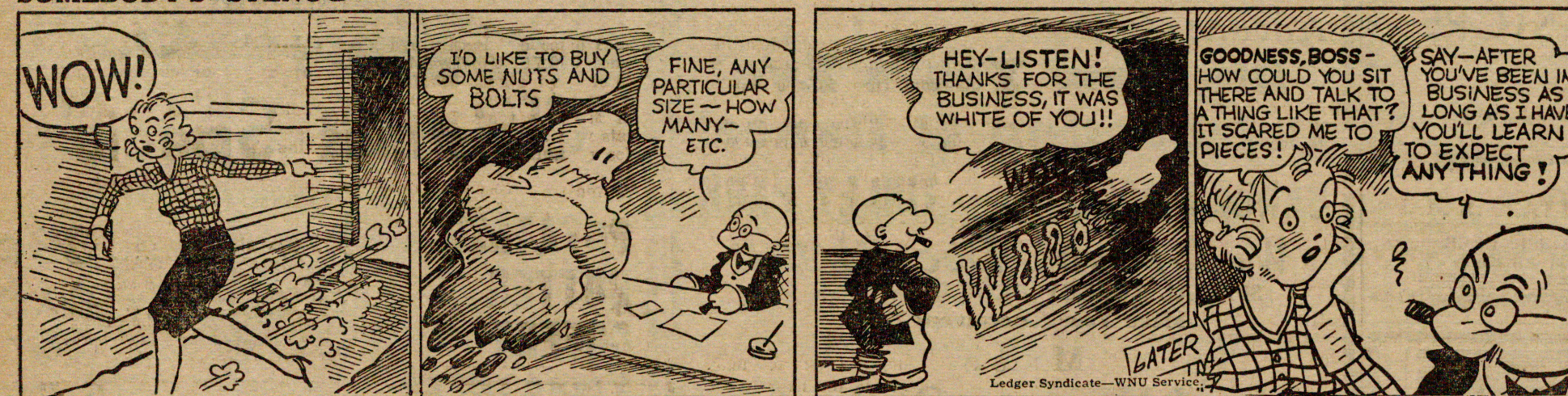
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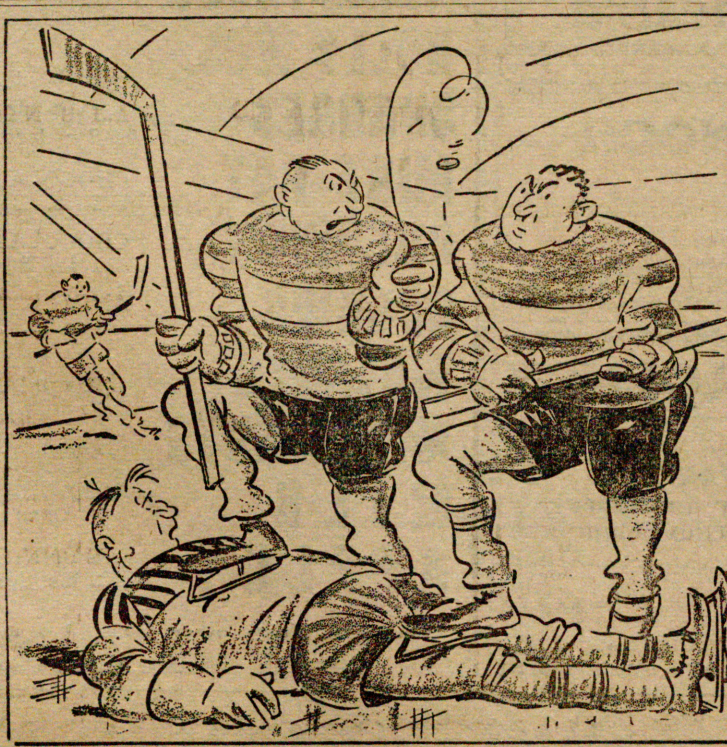
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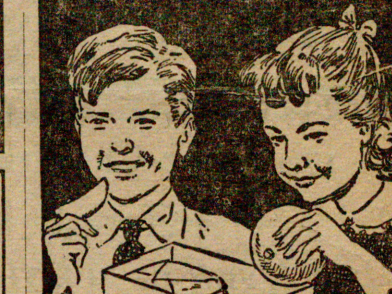
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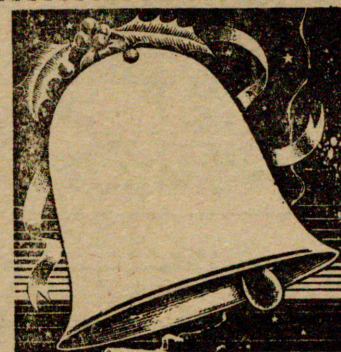
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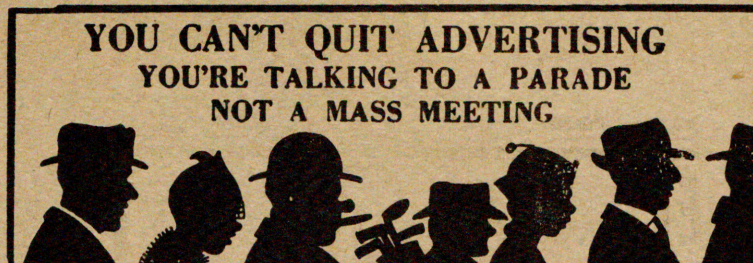
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Homemakers In Defense

By
Christine Ryman Fensinger
PLANNING CHRISTMAS WEEK

This Christmas is going to be a far different Christmas from anything we expected, and far different from anything we have known for the past 25 years. We are in a total war, where economy becomes the watchword, but there is no reason why we should not use ingenuity to make this as gay a Christmas as possible. Our spirits must not droop. We must keep morale high and this can be aided by keeping up our tradition of generosity, hospitality, and

all those things which contribute to the true Christmas spirit.

By now you have probably planned every hour of this next week. Your cleaning and washing have been arranged so that both can be skipped during Christmas week. Menus for Christmas Eve and Christmas Day have been planned, and parties all arranged.

We have emphasized before, and will many times again, the fact that women need not step outside their homes to become invaluable aids in our fight for victory. Cutting down wasteful use of food, of power, of all the commodities we need for defense and offense, are ways that every woman who manages a home can strive to do. This is particularly true of a time as lavish as the Yuletide season. Meals can be ordered so carefully that there are no left-

overs, or if there are, they can be properly utilized. Gifts can be practical. In fact, a sensible simplicity in gifts and entertainments would be more appreciated and longer remembered than if they were more elaborate.

In planning parties for friends, have you ever thought how easy it would be to include one more person in your plans for Christmas? Nothing could be more a part of

true Christmas spirit than an invitation to some boy in camp to spend the holiday in a homelike atmosphere even if the home cannot be his own. A telephone call or a letter to a nearby camp is the only effort necessary and someone will appreciate more than ever before the way of life for which he is going to fight.

You homemakers can do your part by cooperating with Gov. Green.



We have seen you come back again and again and we want you to know we appreciate it. We hope during the coming year we will come to know you better and serve you more. Merry Christmas to all of you!

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ALL OF YOU
A MERRY
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To All



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GREETINGS

How true the words of historian-philosopher Lecky! And now, on the eve of another Christmas, we wish again for you and yours the radiant joy, the deep inner peace which are so inseparably interwoven into the Christmas pattern, and which persist, for the individual, even in a world at war.

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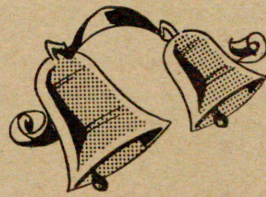
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Christmas! The Season of Peace since the angel choir was first heard over the fields of Bethlehem! Even amidst the thunder of war the magic of Christmas has, during all the centuries, sent its streams of good will around the world.

During this Season of Peace we wish for you all the rich spiritual joys that are our divine heritage at Christmastime, with an abundance of material blessings, too.



For your many evidences of good will we thank you, and we look forward to a continuance of the happy relationship we have enjoyed in the past.

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WISHING YOU ★ A MERRY CHRISTMAS

We choose the simple, age-old greeting, "Merry Christmas," to hail you, our friends, in this joyous holiday season. We choose these time-worn words because we believe them best qualified to carry the full quota of sentiment and Christmas

good will that we want to convey. To have served you from time to time has indeed been an enjoyable experience, and we will strive to merit a continuance of your patronage and friendship during the coming year.

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